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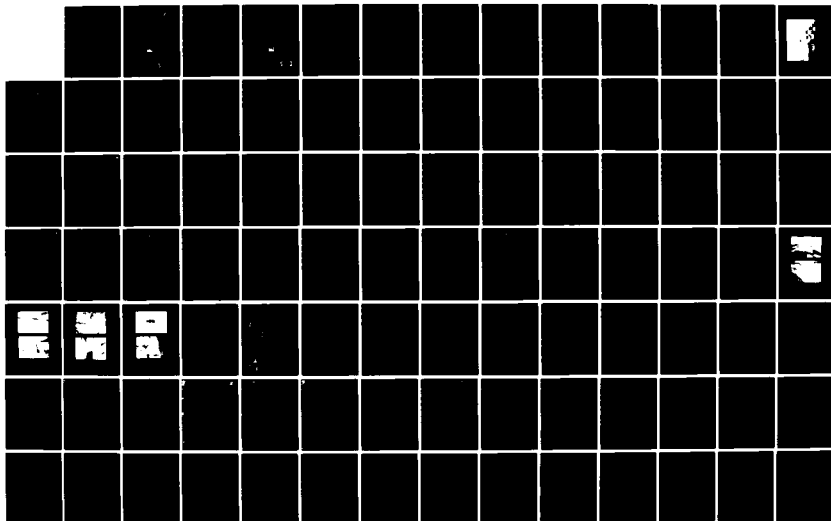
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Honorable Ella T. Grasso
Governor of the State of Connecticut
State Capitol
Hartford, Connecticut 06115

Dear Governor Grasso:

Inclosed is a copy of the Lake Mark Dam (CT-00337) Dam Phase I Inspection Report, which was prepared under the National Program for Inspection of Non-Federal Dams. This report is presented for your use and is based upon a visual inspection, a review of the past performance and a brief hydrological study of the dam. A brief assessment is included at the beginning of the report. I have approved the report and support the findings and recommendations described in Section 7 and ask that you keep me informed of the actions taken to implement them. This follow-up action is a vitally important part of this program.

A copy of this report has been forwarded to the Department of Environmental Protection, the cooperating agency for the State of Connecticut. In addition, a copy of the report has also been furnished the owner, Mr. Michael Molitoris, Stafford, Conn.

Copies of this report will be made available to the public, upon request, by this office under the Freedom of Information Act. In the case of this report the release date will be thirty days from the date of this letter.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you and the Department of Environmental Protection for your cooperation in carrying out this program.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM E. HODGSON, JR.
Colonel, Corps of Engineers
Acting Division Engineer

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| Name of Dam: | LAKE MARK DAM |
| Inventory Number: | CT 00337 |
| State Located: | CONNECTICUT |
| County Located: | TOLLAND |
| Town Located: | STAFFORD |
| Stream: | DIAMOND LEDGE BROOK |
| Owner: | MICHAEL MOLITORIS |
| Date of Inspection: | MARCH 31, 1980 |
| Inspection Team: | PETER M. HEYNEN, P.E. |
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| | JAY A. COSTELLO |

The dam, substantially completed in 1957 and certificate of approval dated April 27, 1972, consists of an earth embankment with a concrete corewall and a concrete spillway. The embankment is 580 feet long, has a maximum storage capacity of 185 acre-feet, and is 22 feet in height above the streambed of Diamond Ledge Brook at the toe of the dam. The top of the dam (elevation 21.0) is 20 feet wide and 6 feet above the spillway crest. The upstream slope and top of the dam have a sod cover except at the left end where there is a sandy beach area. The spillway consists of a 10 foot long and 3 foot wide broad-crested concrete weir and a rectangular chute (fish ladder) which extends 65+ feet to the toe of the dam. The low-level outlet facility is an 8 inch corrugated metal pipe which is encased in concrete and located to the left of the spillway and gated at the downstream slope.

Based upon the visual inspection at the site and past performance of the dam, the project is judged to be in fair condition. There are items requiring maintenance and monitoring such as seepage along the toe of the dam, cracking along the joints of the spillway chute, and the lack of proper slope protection. Also, the fill being dumped along the downstream slope should be graded to a lesser slope and slope protection placed.

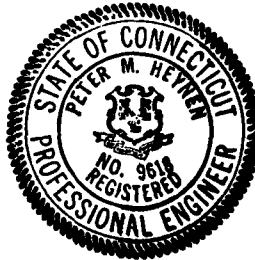
In accordance with the Army Corps of Engineers' guidelines, Lake Mark Dam is classified as a significant hazard, small size dam. The test flood range to be considered is from the one hundred year flood to one-half the Probable Maximum Flood (1/2 PMF). The test flood for Lake Mark Dam is equivalent to the 1/2 PMF. Peak inflow to the lake at the test flood is 840 cubic feet per second (cfs) and peak outflow is 545 cfs with the dam overtopped by 0.2 feet. The spillway capacity with the lake level to the top of the dam is 440 cfs, which is 81% of the routed test flood outflow.

It is recommended that the owner retain the services of a registered professional engineer qualified in dam design and inspection to analyze in more detail the adequacy of the existing project discharge. Other items of importance are inspection of the spillway and intake structure when the lake is drained, the origin and significance of seepage at the toe of the dam, replacing the CMP outlet and the feasibility of gating the outlet pipe at the upstream side of the dam. Recommendations should be made by the engineer and implemented by the owner.

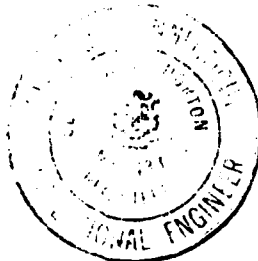
The above recommendations and further remedial measures which are discussed in Section 7, should be instituted within 1 year of the owner's receipt of this report.



Peter M. Heynen, P.E.
Project Manager - Geotechnical
Cahn Engineers, Inc.




C. Michael Horton, P.E.
Department Head
Cahn Engineers, Inc.



This Phase I Inspection Report on Lake Mark Dam has been reviewed by the undersigned Review Board members. In our opinion, the reported findings, conclusions, and recommendations are consistent with the Recommended Guidelines for Safety Inspection of Dams, and with good engineering judgment and practice, and is hereby submitted for approval.

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PREFACE

This report is prepared under guidance contained in the Recommended Guidelines for Safety Inspection of Dams, for Phase I Investigations. Copies of these guidelines may be obtained from the Office of Chief of Engineers, Washington, D.C. 20314. The purpose of a Phase I Investigation is to identify expeditiously those dams which may pose hazards to human life or property. The assessment of the general condition of the dam is based upon available data and visual inspection. Detailed investigation, and analyses involving topographic mapping, subsurface investigations, testing, and detailed computational evaluations are beyond the scope of a Phase I Investigation; however, the investigation is intended to identify any need for such studies.

In reviewing this report, it should be realized that the reported condition of the dam is based on observations of field conditions at the time of inspection along with data available to the inspection team. In cases where the reservoir was lowered or drained prior to inspection, such action, while improving the stability and safety of the dam, removes the normal load on the structure and may obscure certain conditions which might otherwise be detectable if inspected under the normal operating environment of the structure.

It is important to note that the condition of a dam depends on numerous and constantly changing internal and external conditions, and is evolutionary in nature. It would be incorrect to assume that the present condition of the dam would necessarily represent the condition of the dam at some point in the future. Only through continued care and inspection can there be any chance that unsafe conditions will be detected.

Phase I inspections are not intended to provide detailed hydrologic and hydraulic analyses. In accordance with the established Guidelines, the Spillway Test Flood is based on the estimated "Probable Maximum Flood" for the region (greatest reasonably possible storm runoff), or fractions thereof. Because of the magnitude and rarity of such a storm event, a finding that a spillway will not pass the test flood should not be interpreted as necessarily posing a highly inadequate condition. The test flood provides a measure of relative spillway capacity and serves as an aid in determining the need for more detailed hydrologic and hydraulic studies, considering the size of the dam, its general condition and the downstream damage potential.

The Phase I Investigation does not include an assessment of the need for fences, gates, no-trespassing signs, repairs to existing fences and railings and other items which may be needed to minimize trespass and provide greater security for the facility and safety to the public. An evaluation of the project for compliance with OSHA rules and regulations is also excluded.

The information contained in this report is based on the limited investigation described above and is not warranted to indicate the actual condition of the dam. The integrity of the dam can only be determined by a means of a monitoring program and/or a detailed physical investigation. The accuracy of available data is assumed where not in obvious conflict with facts observable during the visual inspection.

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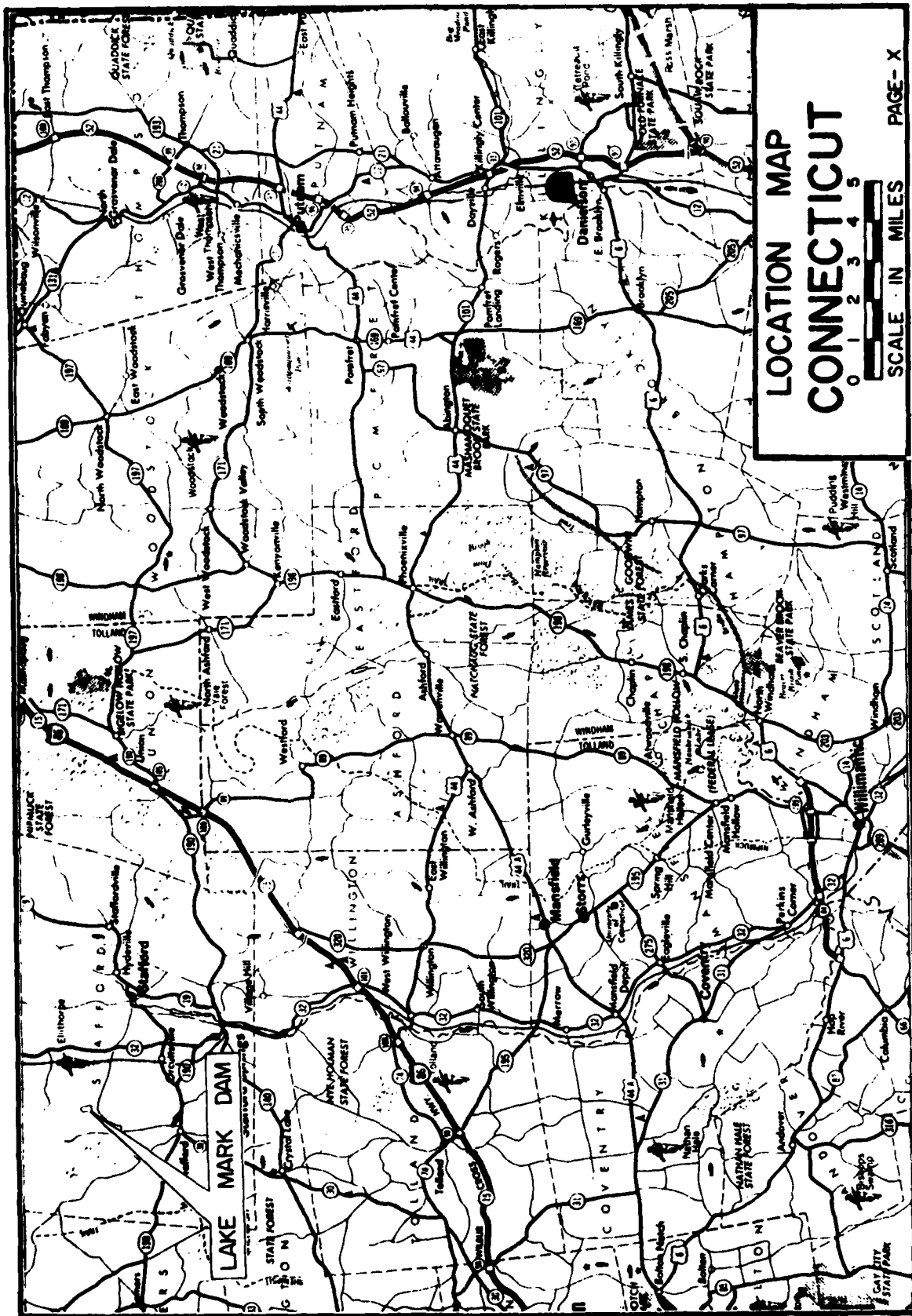
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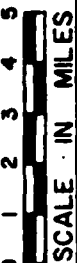


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PHASE I INSPECTION REPORT

LAKE MARK DAM

SECTION I - PROJECT INFORMATION

1.1 GENERAL

a. Authority - Public Law 92-367, August 8, 1972, authorized the Secretary of the Army, through the Corps of Engineers, to initiate a National Program of Dam Inspection throughout the United States. The New England Division of the Corps of Engineers has been assigned the responsibility of supervising the inspection of dams within the New England Region. Cahn Engineers, Inc. has been retained by the New England Division to inspect and report on selected dams in the State of Connecticut. Authorization and notice to proceed were issued to Cahn Engineers, Inc. under a letter of April 14, 1980 from William E. Hodgson, Jr., Colonel, Corps of Engineers. Contract No. DACW 33-80-C-0052 has been assigned by the Corps of Engineers for this work.

b. Purpose of Inspection Program - The purposes of the program are to:

1. Perform technical inspection and evaluation of non-federal dams to identify conditions requiring correction in a timely manner by non-federal interests.
2. Encourage and prepare the States to quickly initiate effective dam inspection programs for non-federal dam.
3. To update, verify and complete the National Inventory of Dams.

c. Scope of Inspection Program - The scope of this Phase I inspection report includes:

1. Gathering, reviewing and presenting all available data as can be obtained from the owners, previous owners, the state and other associated parties.
2. A field inspection of the facility detailing the visual condition of the dam, embankments and appurtenant structures.
3. Computations concerning the hydraulics and hydrology of the facility and its relationship to the calculated flood through the existing spillway.
4. An assessment of the condition of the facility and corrective measures required.

It should be noted that this report passes judgment only on those factors of safety and stability which can be determined by a visual surface examination. The inspection is to identify those visually apparent features of the dam which evidence the need for corrective action and/or further study and investigation.

1.2 DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

a. Location - The dam is located on Diamond Ledge Brook, (Thames River Basin), in a rural area of the town of Stafford, County of Tolland, State of Connecticut. The dam is shown on the Monson (Mass. - Conn.) USGS Quadrangle Map having coordinates latitude N 42° 00.1' and longitude W 72° 21.0'.

b. Description of Dam and Appurtenances - The project is a recreational facility substantially completed in early 1957. The dam consists of an earth embankment, a concrete corewall, a concrete spillway section, and a low-level outlet.

The embankment is 580 feet in length, 20 feet wide at the top (elevation 21.0) and 22 feet in height above the streambed at the toe of the dam. The upstream slope is inclined at 3 horizontal to 1 vertical and covered with sod except for a small beach area at the left end of the dam. There are two concrete retaining walls along the upstream slope; one abutting each of the spillway wing walls. These retaining walls are 20 feet long, 8 inches wide, and 3 feet deep. The top of these walls are about 1 foot above the water line. Fill is being placed at the right and left end of the dam. This fill steepens the downstream slope and gradually widens the top of the dam for use as beach and parking areas. The top of the dam is 20 feet wide at the spillway and widens to more than 100 feet at the right end and 70+ feet at the left end. The top of the dam is also covered with sod except for a parking area on the fill at the left end. The inclination of the downstream slope is 2 horizontal to 1 vertical at the spillway section and becomes steeper along the fill toward the ends of the dam. The downstream slope has a cover of weeds and brush at the right end and is ragged and unfinished at the left end (See photos 2 and 4). The corewall is of concrete construction and has a maximum height of 23 feet just to the right of the spillway. It is also 10 inches thick at the top (elevation 18.0), which is 3 feet below the top of dam, and 12 inches thick at the base. The centerline of the corewall is offset 5 feet upstream from the centerline of the top of the dam.

The spillway is located approximately 150 feet from the right abutment and consists of a 10 foot long by 3 foot wide broad-crested concrete weir (crest elevation 15.0) and a 65 foot long rectangular concrete chute. A piece of railroad track placed across the crest of the concrete weir raises the spillway crest 4½ inches (elevation 15.4) and allows 4.2 feet of clearance to a concrete slab over the spillway. The chute ranges in depth from 6 feet (bottom of fish trough) at the spillway crest to 5 feet at the downstream end. There are 12 foot long wing walls at the upstream end, 10 foot wing walls at the downstream end, and a fish ladder the length of the chute (See Sheet B-1). A concrete slab extends across the spillway to form a diving board platform and provide a means for easy access to all parts of the dam.

The low-level outlet is an 8 inch corrugated metal pipe which is encased in concrete and located just to the left of the spillway. The control is an 8 inch valve with a hand operated valve stem located in a concrete chamber on the downstream slope along the left wall of the spillway chute. The pipe extends through the apron at the base of the spillway chute and outlets in the discharge channel. The inlet rests on a concrete pad on the upstream slope of the embankment.

c. Size Classification - (Small) - The dam impounds 185 acre-feet of water with the lake level at the top of the dam, which at elevation 21.0, is 22 feet above the streambed at the toe of the dam. According to the Army Corps of Engineers' Recommended Guidelines, a dam with this size and storage capacity is classified as small in size.

d. Hazard Classification - (SIGNIFICANT) - If the dam were breached, there is potential for loss of less than a few lives and extensive property damage 11,600+ feet downstream at Route 190. There is at least one residence and one business situated less than 4 feet above the streambed in this area which would be inundated by 1+ feet. Also, there are several buildings, one of which is a residential structure, located just south of Route 190 which are expected to experience some flooding upon failure of the dam.

e. Ownership - Mr. Michael Molitoris
Diamond Ledge Road
Stafford, Connecticut 06075
Tel. (203)-684-2523

f. Operator - Owner (see Ownership, above)

g. Purpose - Recreation - The dam is drained between September and April. During the warmer months, the lake is used as a picnic and swimming facility.

h. Design and Construction History - The following information is believed to be accurate based on the plans and correspondence available. Authorization for construction was granted in February, 1953. The dam was designed by Buck and Buck Engineers of Hartford, Connecticut and constructed by the owner, Michael Molitoris. Construction time was 3 years and the dam was substantially completed and the lake filled in early 1957. The certificate of approval was not given until April, 1972.

i. Normal Operational Procedures - The low-level outlet is opened several times a year for an hour to blow out the silt around the inlet. In the fall, the valve is opened to drain the lake. The valve remains open until spring. During the warmer months, when the lake is full, the normal water level is at the spillway crest, elevation 15.4.

1.3 PERTINENT DATA

a. Drainage Area - 0.6 square miles of undeveloped, densely wooded, mountainous to rolling terrain located in the Thames River Basin.

b. Discharge at Damsite - Water is released over the spillway and through the 8 inch low-level outlet.

1. Outlet Works:

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| 8 inch low-level outlet @ d/s invert el. -1.0: | 13 cfs |
| 2. Maximum flood at damsite: | Unknown |
| 3. Ungated spillway capacity @ top of dam el. 21.0: | 440 cfs |
| 4. Ungated spillway capacity @ test flood el. 21.2: | 460 cfs |
| 5. Gated spillway capacity @ normal pool el.: | N/A |
| 6. Gated spillway capacity @ test flood el. | N/A |
| 7. Total spillway capacity @ test flood el. 21.2: | 460 cfs |
| 8. Total project discharge @ test flood el. 21.2: | 545 cfs |
| c. <u>Elevations</u> (Based on spillway crest @ elevation 15.0) | |
| 1. Streambed at toe of dam: | -1.0 |
| 2. Maximum tailwater: | N/A |
| 3. Upstream portal invert diversion tunnel: | N/A |
| 4. Recreation pool: | 15.4 |
| 5. Full flood control pool: | N/A |
| 6. Spillway crest (ungated): | 15.0 (concrete) 15.4 (top of metal rail) |
| 7. Design surcharge (original design): | 17.5 |

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| 8. Top of dam: | 21.0 |
| 9. Test flood surcharge: | 21.2 |
| d. <u>Reservoir</u> (Length in feet) | |
| 1. Normal pool: | 1600 ft. |
| 2. Flood control pool: | N/A |
| 3. Spillway crest pool: | 1600 ft. |
| 4. Top of dam: | 1800 ft. |
| 5. Test flood pool: | 1800 ft. |
| e. <u>Storage</u> (acre-feet) | |
| 1. Normal pool: | 75 acre-ft. |
| 2. Flood control pool: | N/A |
| 3. Spillway crest pool: | 75 acre-ft. |
| 4. Top of dam: | 185 acre-ft. |
| 5. Test flood pool: | 185 acre-ft. |
| f. <u>Reservoir Surface</u> | |
| 1. Normal pool: | 16 acres |
| 2. Flood control pool: | N/A |
| 3. Spillway crest: | 16 acres |
| 4. Top of dam: | 19 acres |
| 5. Test flood pool: | 19 acres |
| g. <u>Dam</u> | |
| 1. Type: | Earth Embankment |
| 2. Length: | 580 ft. |
| 3. Height: | 22 ft. |
| 4. Top width | 20 ft. (at spillway) |
| 5. Side slopes: | 3H to 1V (Upstream) 2H to 1V (Downstream) |

- 6. Zoning: N/A
- 7. Impervious Core: Concrete Corewall
- 8. Cutoff: N/A
- 9. Grout curtain: N/A
- 10. Other: N/A
- h. Diversion and Regulatory Tunnel - N/A
- i. Spillway
 - 1. Type: broad-crested concrete weir with concrete chute
 - 2. Length of weir: 10 ft.
 - 3. Crest elevation: 15.4 (Top of metal rail)
15.0 (Top of concrete weir)
 - 4. Gates: N/A
 - 5. U/S channel: earthfill
 - 6. D/S channel: natural streambed
 - 7. General: 65 foot long rectangular concrete chute with fish ladder to toe of dam. Clearance from spillway crest to concrete slab over spillway is 4.2 feet.
- j. Regulating Outlets
 - 1. Invert (D/S): -1.0
 - 2. Size: 8 inch
 - 3. Description: Corrugated metal pipe encased in concrete, located left of spillway chute
 - 4. Control mechanism: 8 inch valve with hand operated stem located in chamber left of spillway on d/s slope
 - 5. Other: N/A

SECTION 2: ENGINEERING DATA

2.1 DESIGN DATA

The available data consists of a drawing by Buck and Buck, Engineers and correspondence concerning dam inspections, available at the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection. The drawings and correspondence indicate the design features stated previously in this report. There are no engineering values, assumptions, test results or calculations available other than the drawing mentioned above.

2.2 CONSTRUCTION DATA

The only available data concerning construction of the dam are inspection reports as listed in Appendix B. No information concerning considerations made during construction of the dam is available.

2.3 OPERATION DATA

Lake level readings are not taken at the dam. The lake is drained and the outlet left open from September to March. According to the owner, the dam spillway capacity has never been exceeded. No formal operation records are known to exist.

2.4 EVALUATION OF DATA

a. Availability - Existing data was provided by the owner and the State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection. The owner made the project available for visual inspection.

b. Adequacy - The limited amount of detailed engineering data available was generally inadequate to perform an in-depth assessment of the dam, therefore, the assessment of this dam must be based on visual inspection, performance history, hydraulic computations of spillway capacity and approximate hydrologic judgements.

c. Adequacy - A comparison of record data and visual observations reveals no significant discrepancies in the record data. However, the outlet pipe as seen during the inspection was not the same as the design plan indicates.

SECTION 3: VISUAL INSPECTION

3.1 FINDINGS

a. The general condition of the dam is fair. Inspection revealed areas requiring maintenance and monitoring. At the time of the inspection the water level was at elevation 15.9, 5.1 feet below the top of the dam.

b. Dam

Top of Dam - The top of the dam shows no signs of misalignment, visible cracks or erosion (Photo 1). There is a small stream across the left side of the dam, which is caused by surface runoff from the surrounding terrain. The top has a sod cover except for the extreme left end, where there is an unpaved parking area. A concrete slab extends across the spillway. This provides easy access to all parts of the dam as well as providing a diving platform. The concrete appears to be in good condition.

Upstream Slope - The upstream slope has a sod cover and a 20 foot long and 3 foot high concrete retaining wall abutting each of the spillway wingwalls (Photo 3). The retaining walls and wing walls are in good condition. Erosion of the slope is occurring at the water line where no slope protection was placed.

Downstream Slope - The downstream slope is irregular and unfinished. The owner is placing fill at the left end of the dam to provide space for parking. This fill lies at a very steep slope angle and is unprotected (Photos 2 and 4). The slope at the center and right end of the dam is not as steep (about 2 horizontal to 1 vertical) and has a brush and weed cover. The slope has not been completed at the spillway abutments. Seepage was observed in several areas along the toe of the dam. These include 3 seeps to the left of the spillway totalling 10-12 gpm, a seep measuring 1 gpm near the left wall of the spillway chute, a seep of 5+ gpm to the right of the spillway chute and a seep of 3-4 gpm (probably from hillside) near the right abutment (See Sheet B-1 for seep locations). The water emanating from all seeps was clear at the time of the inspection. A concrete fish tank is located at the toe of the dam just to the left of the spillway. This structure has no significance to the project.

Spillway - The spillway appears to be in good condition except for some cracking along the joints of the spillway chute and some deterioration of one of the fish ladder steps (See Photo 8 and Sheet B-1). A metal rail has been placed across the spillway crest, raising the crest elevation $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches to elevation 15.4 (Photo 7). A concrete slab extends across the spillway allowing a clearance of 4.2 feet from spillway crest to the concrete slab.

c. Appurtenant Structures - The 8 inch corrugated metal low-level outlet appears to be in good condition. The concrete encasing the pipe was not visible. The valve and concrete valve chamber are in good condition and the valve is operable.

d. Reservoir Area - The area surrounding the lake is a steep sided, wooded and undeveloped narrow valley.

e. Downstream Channel - The downstream channel is steep sided and undeveloped to the initial impact area.

3.2 EVALUATION

Based upon the visual inspection, the project is assessed as being in fair condition. The following features which could influence the future condition and/or stability of the project were identified.

1. Seepage through the dam embankment can increase in flow, leading to instability of this structure.
2. Seepage through the joints of the concrete spillway chute could lead to instability of the spillway structure as well as erosion of the embankment slope along the spillway chute.
3. Lack of slope protection on the upstream and downstream slopes is causing erosion and sloughing of these slopes.
4. The corrugated metal pipe used for the low-level outlet does not provide sufficient strength against corrosion and the pressures it is expected to experience as a low-level outlet.
5. The outlet pipe should be gated on the upstream side of the dam so as to eliminate pressures in the pipe when the valve is in a closed position.

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4.1 OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES

a. General - The low-level outlet is open from September to March. This drains the lake, which allows maintenance to the beach area and minimizes plant growth in the lake. The outlet is also opened several times when the lake is full to blow out silt which collects at the inlet.

b. Description of Any Formal Warning System in Effect - No formal warning system is in effect.

4.2 MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

a. General - The owner cuts the grass as needed on the upstream slope and crest of dam.

b. Operating Facilities - The low-level valve is open from September to March to drain the lake and is also opened several times when the lake is full to flush out silt deposits. The valve is greased once a year.

4.3 EVALUATION

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SECTION 5: EVALUATION OF HYDRAULIC/HYDROLOGIC FEATURES

5.1 GENERAL

The drainage area is 0.6 square miles of undeveloped, densely wooded, mountainous to rolling terrain, located in the Thames River Basin. A section of Shenipsit State Forrest is also included in the watershed.

The maximum possible storage to the top of dam (el. 21.0) is estimated to be 185 acre-feet. The Lake Mark Dam is classified as a significant hazard, small size dam. For purposes of downstream flood routing, N.G.V.D. elevations have been assumed for the computations in Appendix D. In order that this section be consistent with the rest of the text, the elevations in Appendix D have been converted to the assumed datum (spillway crest = 15.0) used in the other sections of this text.

5.2 DESIGN DATA

A design drawing prepared by Buck & Buck Engineers dated January 27, 1953 are available and provide a design high water and design low water level (See Sheet B-1). However, no hydraulic/hydrologic design data or computations could be found.

5.3 EXPERIENCE DATA

No information on any serious problem situations arising at the dam was found, and the maximum discharge at this dam is unknown.

5.4 TEST FLOOD ANALYSIS

Based upon the Army Corps of Engineers' "Preliminary Guidance for Estimating Maximum Probable Discharges", dated March 1978, the watershed classification (mountainous to rolling), and a watershed area of 0.6 square miles, a PMF of 1680 cfs, or 2800 cfs per square mile, is estimated at the dam site. The dam is classified as a small size, significant hazard dam. Therefore, the test flood range to be considered is from the 100 year flood to the 1/2 PMF. The test flood for Lake Mark Dam is considered to be equivalent to the 1/2 PMF.

The peak inflow at the 1/2 PMF is determined to be 840 cfs, and the peak outflow is estimated to be 545 cfs (maximum pool elevation at 21.2) with the dam overtopped 0.2 feet. The spillway capacity with the pool to the top of the dam (elevation 21.0) is estimated to be 440 cfs, which is 81% of the routed test flood outflow.

5.5 DAM FAILURE ANALYSIS

The impact at downstream areas upon failure of the Lake Mark Dam was assessed using the "Rule of thumb Guidance for Estimating Downstream Dam Failure Hydrographs", issued by the Army Corps of Engineers. The peak outflow before failure of the dam would be about 440 cfs and peak failure outflow from the dam breaching is estimated to be 18,200 cfs. A breach of the dam would result in a rise of 1.0 feet in the water level of the stream 11,500+ feet downstream at the initial impact area, which corresponds to an increase in the water level from a depth of 3.5 feet just before the breach to a depth of 4.5 feet just after the breach. The rapid increase in the water level at the initial impact area would inundate at least 1 house and a small business to a depth of 1+ feet.

Also, just below Route 190 there are several other buildings, including one house, which would experience some minor flooding if the dam should fail (See Sheet D-1).

SECTION 6: STRUCTURAL STABILITY

6.1 VISUAL OBSERVATIONS

The dam has a cross-section with an upstream slope of 3 horizontal to 1 vertical, width at top of 20 feet and a downstream slope of 2 horizontal to 1 vertical. No evidence of toe drains was observed during the inspection. There is a concrete corewall which extends the length of the dam and to 3 feet below the top of the dam. The low-level outlet pipe is corrugated metal encased in concrete, which is not the type shown in the design plans.

The visual inspection did not reveal any indications of immediate stability problems. However, there are items with potential stability problems which require maintenance or monitoring. These consist of the type of outlet pipe used, seepage along the toe of the dam, seepage through the left wall of the spillway chute, the lack of proper grading on the downstream slope and lack of proper slope protection on the upstream and downstream slopes. For recommendations, see Section 7.

6.2 DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION DATA

There is not enough design and construction data to permit an in depth assessment of the structural stability of the dam.

6.3 POST CONSTRUCTION CHANGES

The post construction changes of the project are the addition of a concrete platform over the spillway and a 20 foot concrete retaining wall at the upstream slope on either side of the spillway.

6.4 SEISMIC STABILITY

The dam is in Seismic Zone 1 and according to the Recommended guidelines, need not be evaluated for seismic stability.

SECTION 7:ASSESSMENT, RECOMMENDATIONS AND REMEDIAL MEASURES

7.1 DAM ASSESSMENT

a. Condition - Based upon the visual inspection of the site and past performance, the dam appears to be in fair condition. There are several areas requiring maintenance and monitoring. These include seepage at the toe of the dam, cracking of the concrete joints in the spillway chute, dumping of fill along the downstream slope, and the lack of proper slope protection.

Based upon the Army Corps of Engineers' "Preliminary Guidance for Estimating Maximum Probable Discharges" dated March 1978, and hydraulic/hydrologic computations, peak inflow to the lake is 840 cfs and peak outflow is 545 cfs with the test flood to elevation 21.2 (0.2 feet over the top of the dam). The spillway capacity with the water level to the top of the dam is 440 cfs, which is equivalent to 81% of the routed test flood outflow.

b. Adequacy of Information - The information available is such that an assessment of the condition and stability of the dam must be based solely on visual inspection, past performance of the dam, and sound engineering judgement.

c. Urgency - It is recommended that the measures presented in Section 7.2 and 7.3 be implemented within 1 year of the owner's receipt of this report.

7.2 RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that further investigation be made by a registered professional engineer qualified in dam design and inspection pertaining to the following items. Recommendations should be made by the engineer and implemented by the owner.

1. A more detailed hydraulic/hydrologic analysis to determine the adequacy of the existing project discharge and outlet facilities. This should include all water control facilities referenced to the same datum.
2. Inspection of the low-level intake, spillway, spillway chute, discharge channel and upstream slope (when the lake is drained during winter months) to determine the condition of the embankment upstream and possible deterioration of the concrete and scouring of the channel floor.
3. Origin and significance of seepage at the toe of the embankment and the right abutment.
4. Development of a program to reduce or stop seepage through the embankment if required.
5. Installation of a new low-level outlet, abandon the 8" CMP outlet, and gating the low-level outlet at the upstream side of the dam to eliminate pressures in the pipe within the embankment.

6. Repair the concrete deterioration at the steps in the fish ladder.
7. Development of a program to monitor seepage if eliminating the seepage is not found to be necessary.

7.3 REMEDIAL MEASURES

a. Operation and Maintenance Procedures - The following measures should be undertaken by the owner within the time period indicated in Section 7.1c, and continued on a regular basis.

1. Round-the-clock surveillance during periods of heavy precipitation and high project discharge. The owner should develop and implement an emergency action plan as well as a downstream warning system in case of emergencies at the dam.
2. A formal program of operation and maintenance procedures should be instituted and fully documented to provide accurate records for future reference.
3. A comprehensive program of inspection by a registered professional engineer qualified in dam design and inspection should be instituted on an annual basis.
4. Placement of riprap on the upstream slope to prevent against erosion at the water line.
5. Grading of the downstream slope so as to reduce the inclination of the fill and to bring the slope at the spillway abutments to design grade. Proper slope protection should be placed and maintained.
6. Sealing the joints in the concrete spillway and spillway chute.
7. Rerouting of surface runoff from the left side of the dam so that it does not run across the top and down along the toe of the embankment.
8. Placement of riprap at the toe of the spillway chute to eliminate scouring and placement of proper protection for the end of the outlet pipe.
9. The cutting of brush and small trees on the downstream slope and clearing of debris from the spillway chute should be continued on a regular basis.

7.4 ALTERNATIVES

This study has identified no practical alternatives to the above recommendations.

APPENDIX A
INSPECTION CHECKLIST

VISUAL INSPECTION CHECK LIST
PARTY ORGANIZATION

PROJECT Lake Mark Dam

DATE: March 31, 1980

TIME: 2:30 - 4:00 PM.

WEATHER: Sunny 60°F

W.S. ELEV. 15.4 **U.S.** **DN.S**

| <u>PARTY:</u> | <u>INITIALS:</u> | <u>DISCIPLINE:</u> |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. <u>Peter M. Heynen</u> | <u>PMH</u> | <u>Cahn, Geotech.</u> |
| 2. <u>Miron Petrovsky</u> | <u>MP</u> | <u>Cahn, Geotech.</u> |
| 3. <u>Murale Atluru</u> | <u>MA</u> | <u>DTC, H&H</u> |
| 4. <u>Jay A. Costello</u> | <u>JAC</u> | <u>Cahn, Geotech.</u> |
| 5. <u>Tim Kavanaugh</u> | <u>T.K</u> | <u>Cahn, Survey</u> |
| 6. <u>Michael Molitoris</u> | <u>MM</u> | <u>Owner</u> |

| <u>PROJECT FEATURE</u> | <u>INSPECTED BY</u> | <u>REMARKS</u> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. <u>Earth Embankment</u> | <u>PMH, MP, JAC, TK, MM</u> | |
| 2. <u>Valve Chamber</u> | <u>PMH, MP, JAC, MM</u> | |
| 3. <u>Spillway</u> | <u>PMH, MP, JAC, MM, MA</u> | |
| 4. <u> </u> | | |
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PERIODIC INSPECTION CHECK LIST

Page A-2PROJECT Lake Mark DamDATE 3/31/80PROJECT FEATURE Earth Embankment BY PMH, MP, JAC, TK, MM

| AREA EVALUATED | CONDITION |
|---|---|
| <u>DAM EMBANKMENT</u> | |
| Crest Elevation | 21.0 (datum: spillway crest = 15.0) |
| Current Pool Elevation | 15.9 |
| Maximum Impoundment to Date | Unknown |
| Surface Cracks | None observed |
| Pavement Condition | N/A |
| Movement or Settlement of Crest | } None observed |
| Lateral Movement | |
| Vertical Alignment | } Appears good |
| Horizontal Alignment | |
| Condition at Abutment and at Concrete Structures | Good |
| Indications of Movement of Structural Items on Slopes | None observed |
| Trespassing on Slopes | None |
| Sloughing or Erosion of Slopes or Abutments | Unfinished and irregular earthfill on d/s slope |
| Rock Slope Protection-Riprap Failures | No riprap, u/s concrete retaining wall appears good |
| Unusual Movement or Cracking at or Near Toes | None observed |
| Unusual Embankment or Downstream Seepage | seepage along toe |
| Piping or Boils | } None observed |
| Foundation Drainage Features | |
| Toe Drains | |
| Instrumentation System | |

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PERIODIC INSPECTION CHECK LIST

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PROJECT Lake Mark Dam

DATE 3/31/80

PROJECT FEATURE Valve Chamber

BY PMH, JAC, MP, TK, MM

| AREA EVALUATED | CONDITION |
|--|---|
| <u>OUTLET WORKS-CONTROL TOWER</u> | |
| a) <u>Concrete and Structural</u> | |
| General Condition | Good |
| Condition of Joints | Appears good |
| Spalling | None observed |
| Visible Reinforcing | None |
| Rusting or Staining of Concrete | None |
| Any Seepage or Efflorescence | scum on bottom of chamber |
| Joint Alignment | Good |
| Unusual Seepage or Leaks in Gate Chamber | } None observed |
| Cracks | |
| Rusting or Corrosion of Steel | |
| b) <u>Mechanical and Electrical</u> | |
| Air Vents | } N/A |
| Float Wells | |
| Crane Hoist | |
| Elevator | |
| Hydraulic System | } 8" hand operated gate valve, operable |
| Service Gates | |
| Emergency Gates | } N/A |
| Lightning Protection System | |
| Emergency Power System | |
| Wiring and Lighting System | |

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PERIODIC INSPECTION CHECK LIST

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PROJECT Lake Mark Dam

DATE 3/31/80

PROJECT FEATURE Concrete spillway & chute

BY PMH, MP, JAC, NA, MM

| AREA EVALUATED | CONDITION |
|--|--|
| <u>OUTLET WORKS-SPILLWAY WEIR, APPROACH AND DISCHARGE CHANNELS</u> | |
| a) <u>Approach Channel</u> | |
| General Condition | Good |
| Loose Rock Overhanging Channel | None |
| Trees Overhanging Channel | None |
| Floor of Approach Channel | Good |
| b) <u>Weir and Training Walls</u> | |
| General Condition of Concrete | Appears good |
| Rust or Staining | } None observed |
| Spalling | |
| Any Visible Reinforcing | |
| Any Seepage or Efflorescence | Seepage through joints of left wall spillway chute |
| Drain Holes | |
| c) <u>Discharge Channel</u> | |
| General Condition | Good |
| Loose Rock Overhanging Channel | None |
| Trees Overhanging Channel | Some |
| Floor of Channel | Natural streambed |
| Other Obstructions | Dead trees across channel |

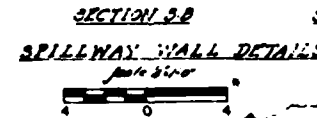
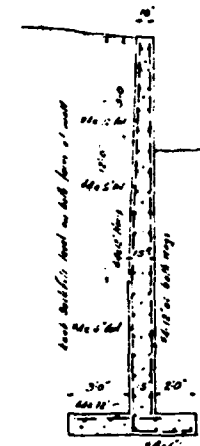
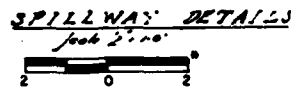
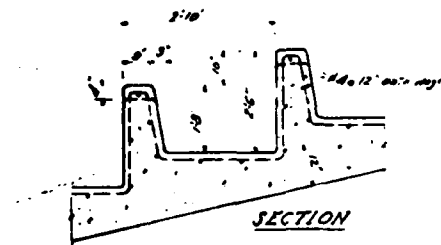
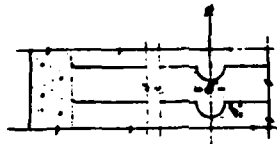
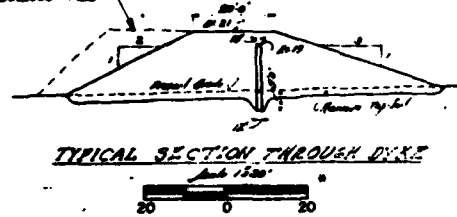
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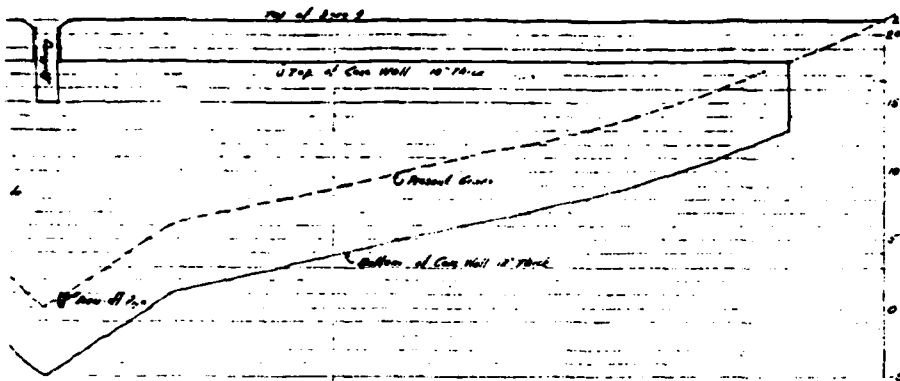
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ENGINEERING DATA AND CORRESPONDENCE

NOTES (AUGUST 1980)

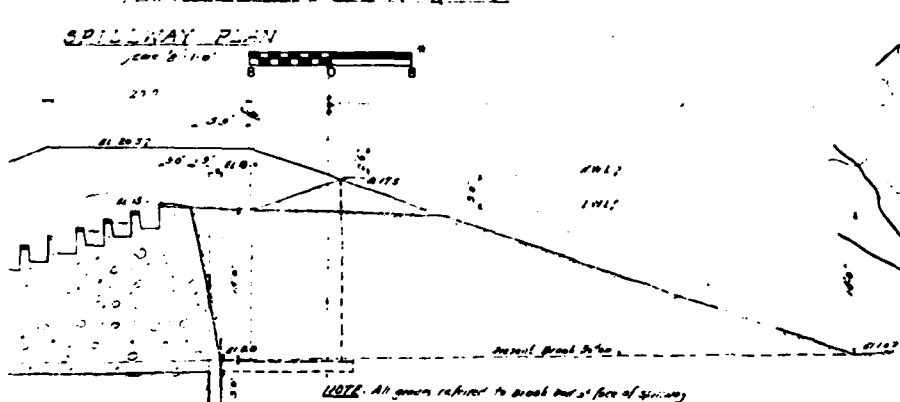
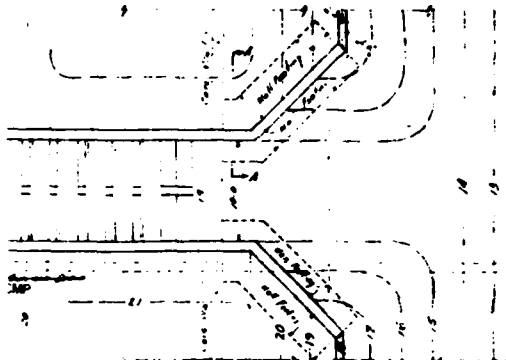
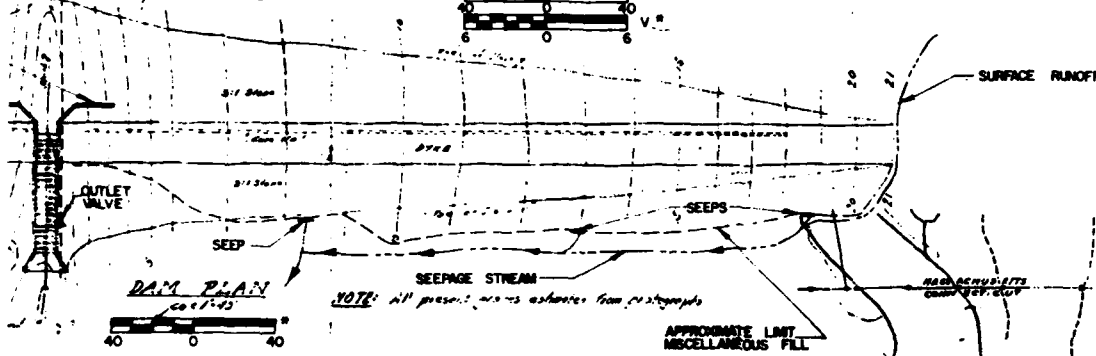
1. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING SEEPS, U/S RETAINING WALL, FILL AND LOW-LEVEL OUTLET ADDED AFTER DAM INSPECTION 3/31/80 BY CANN ENGINEERS, INC. FOR THE ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, NEW ENGLAND DIVISION.
2. ELEVATIONS ARE NOT N.G.V.D.
SPILLWAY CREST = ELEVATION 150.0
3. ORIGINAL PLAN REDUCED 50%. USE BAR SCALE BELOW ORIGINAL SCALE.
4. AN N.G.V.D. DATUM WAS ASSUMED FOR PURPOSES OF SPILLWAY ANALYSIS.
SPILLWAY CREST = ELEVATION 785.0

MISCELLANEOUS FILL





PROFILE ALONG CORE WALL
Scale: horiz. 1" = 40' vert. 1" = 6'



SITE PLAN
OWNED BY U.S.G.S. MAP
Scale 1" = 4000'

| | | |
|---------------------|---|--|
| PROJECTED 2-2-33 | PLANS & DETAILS PROPOSED DAM MICHAEL MOLTORIS WEST STAFFORD, CONNECTICUT | SHEET B-1 SCALE 1" = 40' H. M. 100' JAN 27 33 3463.1 |
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LAKE MARK DAM

EXISTING PLANS

"Plans and Details, Proposed Dam
for Michael Molitoris, West Stafford, Conn."
Buck and Buck, Engineers
Hartford, Conn.
Jan. 27, 1953
1 Sheet

SUMMARY OF DATA AND CORRESPONDENCE

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>TO</u> | <u>FROM</u> | <u>SUBJECT</u> | <u>PAGE</u> |
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| July 29, 1952 | Benjamin H. Palmer, State Board Supervision of Dams | William S. Wise, Chairman State Board Supervision of Dams | Application for Construction permit | B-3 |
| Aug. 11, 1952 | Mr. Michael Molitoris | R.P. Hunter, Superintendent State Board of Fisheries and Game | Approval for Construc- tion | B-5 |
| Feb. 9, 1953 | Mr. Michael Molitoris | Buck and Buck, Engineers | Preliminary permit for construction | B-5 |
| Aug. 13, 1954 | Mr. Henry W. Buck, Buck and Buck, Engrs. | B.H. Palmer State Board Supervision of Dams | Inspection of dam construction | B-8 |
| Dec. 20, 1956 | Mr. William S. Wise, State Board Supervision of Dams | B.H. Palmer, State Board Supervision of Dams | Inspection of dam | B-9 |
| June 24, 1963 | Water Resources Commission | Chandler and Palmer, Civel Engineers | Inspection of dam | B-10 |
| Jan. 24, 1972 | Conn. Dept. of Environ- mental Protection | Macchi and Hoffman, Engrs. | Inspection and recommendation for certificate of approval | B-11 |
| April 27, 1972 | Mr. Michael Molitoris | Conn. Dept. Environmental Protection, Water Resources | Certificate of Approval | B-12 |
| No Date | Files | Conn. Dept. Environmental Protection, Water Resources | Inventory Data | B-13 |

July 29, 1952

Mr. Benjamin H. Palmer
Thayer Building
Norwich, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Palmer:

Enclosed is an application for the construction of a dam in Stafford Springs. This application has been submitted by Henry Buck who has been asked to design the structure.

In talking with Henry he is uncertain in his mind as to whether the structure should come under the jurisdiction of the Board. You will notice that under remarks he indicates that the culvert under the wood road below the dam has carried the hurricane flood and also there is a swamp for several miles below the road so that not too much damage could result from the failure of the structure. I do feel, however, that because of the size of the dam and the fact that approximately 33 acre feet of water will be stored behind it, that it might be considered coming under the Board's jurisdiction. Henry said that because of the topography much of the area is quite shallow although it has a 12' depth at the deepest point.

Regardless of whether it is considered to come under the jurisdiction of the Board Henry Buck will design the structure. If it must be submitted to the Board for approval he will have to prepare more detailed plans than he otherwise would, consequently the expense to Mr. Molitoris will be a little higher.

I am forwarding this to you for whatever disposition you wish to make of it.

Very truly yours,

William S. Wise
Director

WSW/h
enc.

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File # _____
Date JULY 22, 1952

PRELIMINARY APPLICATION FOR
CONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION OR REPAIR OF DAM

Watershed WILLIMANTIC RIVER

Name of River or Brook DIAMOND LEDGE BROOK

Name of Town, Village, etc. STAFFORD SPRINGS

Directions for reaching site FROM WEST STAFFORD DRIVE NORTH ON PAVED ROAD
1.5 MILES. THENCE NORTH EAST ON GRAVEL ROAD 0.7 MILE. FOLLOW WOOD ROAD
ON WEST SIDE OF BROOK, NORTH FOR 1000 FEET TO CLEARED DAM SITE.

Purpose of construction, alteration or repair NEW CONSTRUCTION

Water impounded for what purpose RECREATION

Area of Watershed 0.61 SQUARE MILES

General dimensions:

Total length of Dam 400' Length of Spillway 20'
Height of Spillway above River bed - average 11' maximum 12'
Height of Abutments above Spillway 3'

Depth of water at Spillway elevation:

Average 3' Maximum 12'

Approximate water surface area at Spillway elevation 11 acres

Kind of Dam (earth, masonry, rock, timber, etc.) EARTH - CONCRETE SPILLWAY

Character of River bed (rock, gravel, silt) GRAVEL

Remarks: 100 YR. FLOOD AT C, 0.75 = 175 CFS. 36" CULVERT UNDER ROAD BELOW
SITE PASSED HURRICANE FLOOD - CAPACITY 40 CFS. SWAMP BELOW ROAD AND
NO DEVELOPMENT ON BROOK FOR 2 MILES.

Name of owner ~~XXXXXXXX~~ MICHAEL MOLITORIS

Address R.F.D. 1 STAFFORD SPRINGS

Telephone No. 657 W 2

NOTE: Rough plans are useful. Use plain sheets for additional information.

Referred to _____ Date _____
Inspected by _____ Date _____
Comments: _____

(Fill out in triplicate)

STATE BOARD OF FISHERIES AND GAME

COMMISSIONERS

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DAVID C. MAHONEY, WEST HARTFORD



ADDRESS ALL MAIL TO
STATE BOARD OF
FISHERIES AND GAME
STATE OFFICE BUILDING, HARTFORD

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

August 11, 1952

Mr. Michael Molitoris
RFD#1
Stafford Springs, Conn.

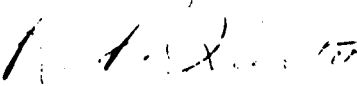
Dear Sir:

Under Section 5001 of the General Statutes authorization is hereby granted for the construction of a dam on Diamond Ledge Brook on your property located in Stafford Springs, it being my understanding that the public interest in the stream will not be affected by such a dam.

This permit is issued with the understanding that a fishway will be provided.

It will be necessary to have the project approved by the State Board of Supervision of Dams, whose address is Room 317, State Office Building, Hartford, Connecticut.

Very truly yours,


R. P. Hunter
Superintendent

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cc: State Board of Supervision of Dams
State Warden Wraight

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STATE WATER COMMISSION

BUCK & BUCK

ENGINEERS

650 MAIN STREET HARTFORD 3, CONNECTICUT

HENRY WOLCOTT BUCK

ROBINSON D. BUCK

COMM. 6463-1.

FEBRUARY 9, 1953

**MR. MICHAEL MOLITORIS
R. D. 1
STAFFORD SPRINGS, CONNECTICUT**

DEAR MR. MOLITORIS:

**WE ENCLOSE HERewith THE PRELIMINARY PERMIT
FROM THE STATE BOARD OF SUPERVISION OF DAMS COVERING
YOUR PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION, TOGETHER WITH MR. PALMER'S
LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL. YOU SHOULD HOLD THESE IN SAFE
KEEPING UNTIL THE DAM IS COMPLETED AND THE FINAL PERMIT
ISSUED.**

**WE HAVE AS YET RECEIVED NO WORD FROM THE STATE
FISH AND GAME COMMISSION AND WILL ADVISE YOU AS SOON AS WORD IS
RECEIVED FROM THEM.**

SINCERELY YOURS,

BUCK & BUCK,


HENRY WOLCOTT BUCK

ENCLS:

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**STRUCTURAL AND SANITARY ENGINEERING
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PRELIMINARY PERMIT

To Owner MICHAEL MOLITORIS
P. O. Address WEST STAFFORD, CONN

NORWICH....., Conn.
FEB 6....., 1953

I have inspected the site and have examined the plans marked "PROPOSED DAM FOR
MICHAEL MOLITORIS" BY BUCK & BUCK ENGINEERS
and the specifications therefore, submitted by you to the Board of Supervision of dams for
CONSTRUCTION OF DAM AND FISHWAY
on DIAMOND LEDGE BROOK in the Town of STAFFORD CONN
The same are approved, and such proposed construction work is hereby authorized.

Benjamin H. Palmer
Member, Board of Supervision of Dams

"copy"

#114 Thayer Building
Norwich, Connecticut

August 13, 1954

Mr. Henry W. Buck
Buck & Buck
Engineers
650 Main Street
Hartford (3) Connecticut

Dear Henry,

This morning I made an appointment with Mr. Molitoris and visited his dam at West Stafford. He had the spillway section dug out and dewatered. The soil appeared to be a good quality clay with some small stones mixed in. This is at the deeper point of the excavation under the cut-off wall. I would think that this soil would be very tight and is suitable for the foundation of the dam.

Mr. Molitoris is doing much of the work himself and, therefore, progress is rather slow. However, what was done appeared to be in good condition and his forms and reinforcing rods are all in place and he plans to pour the spillway section within a short time.

I am satisfied that the foundation conditions are good and that the work is being done in a satisfactory manner.

Very truly yours,

Benjamin H. Palmer
Member, State Board of Supervision of Dams

BHP/ew
c.c.: Chairman Wm. S. Wise

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
STATE BOARD FOR THE SUPERVISION OF DAMS
State Office Building - Hartford, Conn.

December 20, 1956

Mr. William S. Wise
Chairman, State Board for Supervision of Dams
State Office Building
Hartford (15) Connecticut

Dear Mr. Wise:-

On February 6, 1953 I issued a Preliminary Permit for construction of a dam on Diamond Ledge Brook in Stafford for Mr. Michael Molitoris. I am enclosing copy of the preliminary permit. I visited this site the other day and found that it has never been completed and in fact no work has apparently been done there for at least two years. I am enclosing a blueprint prepared by Buck & Buck showing the structure to be completed and thought that you should have this in your files.

Very truly yours,

B. H. Palmer

Member, State Board for the Supervision of Dams

BHP/ew
enc.

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TELEPHONE TURNER 7-8640

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NORWICH, CONN.

June 24, 1963

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| JUN 25 1963 | |
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| REFERRED..... | |
| FILED..... | |

State of Connecticut
Water Resources Commission
State Office Building
Hartford 15, Connecticut

RE: Molitoris Dam
Stafford, Connecticut

Gentlemen:

I visited the Molitoris Dam last Saturday and talked with Mr. Molitoris at the site.

This dam was constructed about seven years ago and has never been entirely completed. The down-stream slope is rather ragged and unfinished. There is a leak in one joint of the pipe coming through the dam which permits some leakage to show down-stream.

This pond is used for bathing and fishing in summertime and the owner makes a practice of drawing the pond down about 6 feet in September. He stated that this Fall he would repair the leak and attempt to complete the down-stream slope. I do not feel there is any hazard with the condition as it now exists. I do not feel like issuing a final certificate because the work is not completed. I urged the owner to finish it this Fall so that we could issue a final certificate at this time.

Very truly yours,

CHANDLER & PALMER

BHP/nir

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January 24, 1972

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State of Connecticut
Department of Environmental Protection
165 Capitol Avenue
Hartford, Connecticut

Attention: Mr. William H. O'Brien, III

Re: Lake Mark Dam
Approx. 2 Miles West of
Ellitrope Dam
Code W24.0 MR2.4 ED1.3 DL2.1

Gentlemen:


An inspection of the above-referenced dam was made by William H. O'Brien, Victor Galgowski and A. J. Macchi on Friday, January 21, 1972. The owner, Mr. Michael Molitons, who resides on the site was present.

This dam was constructed about 1956 from plans prepared by Buck & Buck Engineers in Hartford. It was inspected by Mr. Palmer of Chandler & Palmer Engineers in 1963.

The dam is completed and appears to be in a safe condition. It is therefore recommended that a Certificate of Approval be sent to the owner, since this has never been done.

Very truly yours,

MACCHI & HOFFMAN, ENGINEERS


A. J. MACCHI

vmc



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
STATE OFFICE BUILDING HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT 06115

WATER RESOURCES

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

April 27, 1972

Lake Mark Dam
c/o Mr. Michael Molitoris
Diamond Ledge Road
Stafford, Connecticut

TOWN: Stafford
RIVER: Diamond Ledge Brook
TRIBUTARY: Edison Brook
CODE NO.: W2.40MR2.4ED1.3DL2.2

Dear Mr. Molitoris:

NAME AND LOCATION OF STRUCTURE:

Lake Mark Dam
Diamond Ledge Road
Stafford, Conn.
c/o Mr. Michael Molitoris


DESCRIPTION OF STRUCTURE AND WORK PERFORMED: This is a ⁵⁸⁰400 foot long earthen dam with a top width of 20 feet and an elevation of 14 feet above streambed. The embankments have a 3:1 slope upstream and 2:1 downstream. A 14 feet high concrete core is located in the center of the dam. A fish ladder is provided in the 20 foot wide concrete spillway. This structure creates a 11 acre pool with a 3 feet depth at the spillway and a maximum depth of 12 feet.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT ISSUED UNDER DATE OF:

February 6, 1963

This certifies that the work and construction included in the plans submitted, for the structure described above, has been completed to the satisfaction of this Department and that this structure is hereby approved in accordance with Section 134 of Public Act No. 872.

The owner is required by law to record this Certificate in the land records of the town or towns in which the structure is located.



Dan W. Lufkin
Commissioner

DWL:WHO:jjs

under Palmer
no point scale

STATE BOARD FOR THE SUPERVISION OF DAMS
INVENTORY DATA

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X B - PALMER REPORT 6-24-63

Name of Dam or Pond 941 Lake Mark

Code No. W24.0 NR2.4 ED13 DL2.2

Location of Structure

Long 72-21.0

Town Stafford

Name of Stream Diamond Ledge Brook LA + 42-00.1

U.S.G.S. Quad. Monson Mass

Owner Michael Molitoris

Address DIAMOND LEDGE ROAD
STAFFORD CT

Pond Used For SWIMMING DA 0.6154

Dimensions of Pond: Width _____ Length _____ Area 11A

Total Length of Dam 500' Length of Spillway 10FT

Depth of Water Below Spillway Level (Downstream) 18 FT

Height of Abutments Above Spillway 5'

Type of Spillway Construction _____

Type of Like Construction sand sleep

Downstream Conditions Woods, central West Stafford ^{steeper than spillway abutment.}

1956 Summary of File Data inspection in 56 - not built then

Remarks

spring at toe 20' east of spillway

" at face of east spillway abutment

" at toe 10' West of spillway

spillway abutments not finished downstream

D/S HAZ 2.

APPENDIX C
DETAIL PHOTOGRAPHS

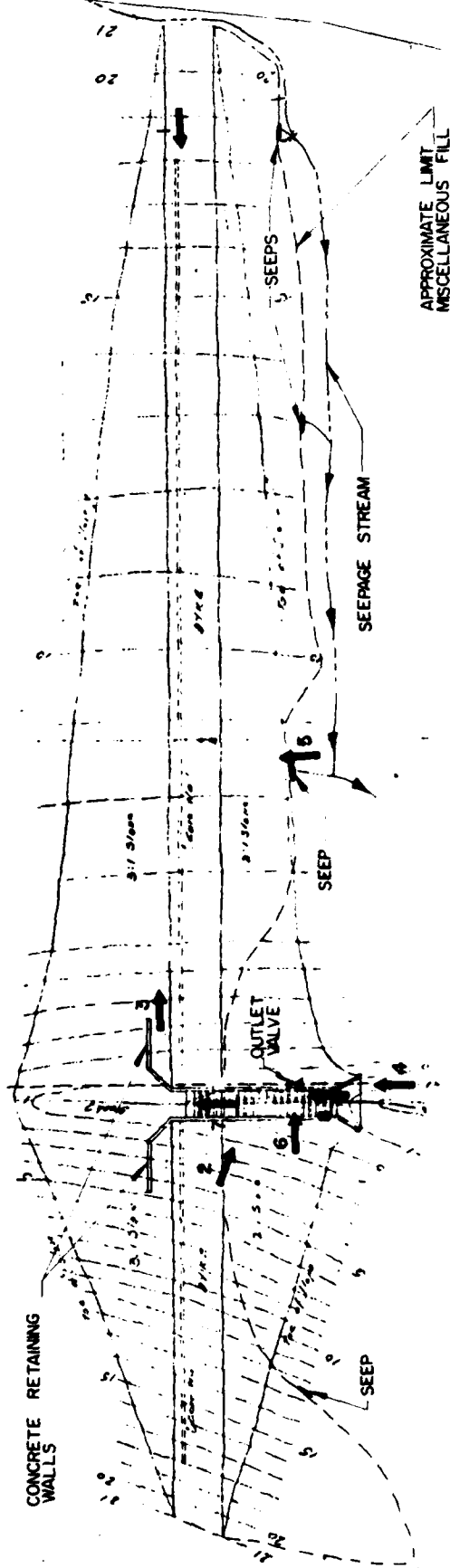


PHOTO LOCATION PLAN

LAKE MARK DAM

SHEET C-1



Photo 1 - Upstream slope and top of dam taken from left abutment. Parking lot at left and beach in foreground (March 1980).



Photo 2 - Downstream slope from right end of dam. Spillway in foreground and fill being dumped in background (March 1980).

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Photo 3 - Upstream slope from spillway. Erosion and irregularity of slope in background, concrete retaining wall in foreground (March 1980).

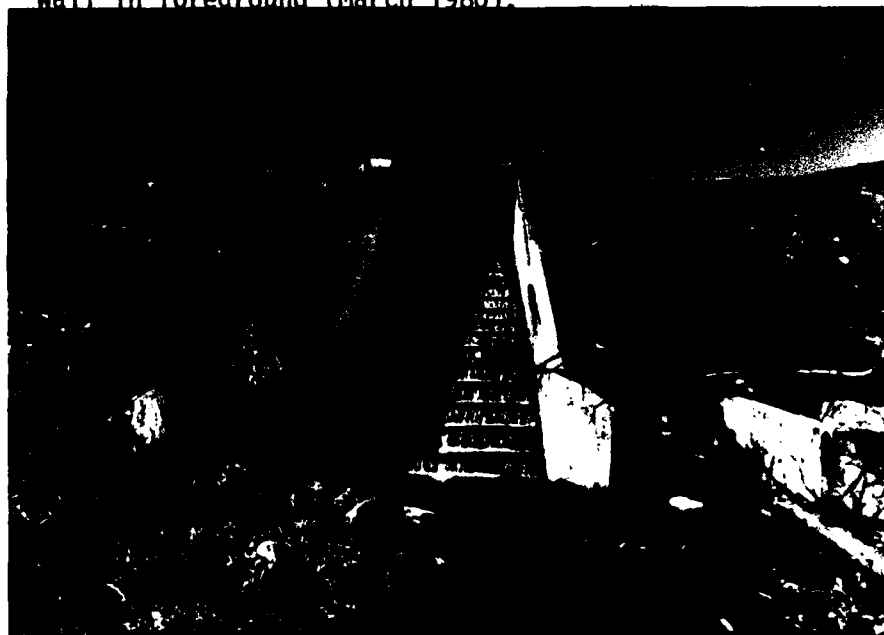


Photo 4 - Spillway from downstream. Top of outlet pipe is visible at center of discharge channel. Area requiring fill at right and left side of spillway chute (March 1980).

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Photo 5 - Seepage emanating from central portion of the toe of the embankment (March 1980).



Photo 6 - Crack in left wall of spillway chute where water is seeping through and down the embankment slope (March 1980).

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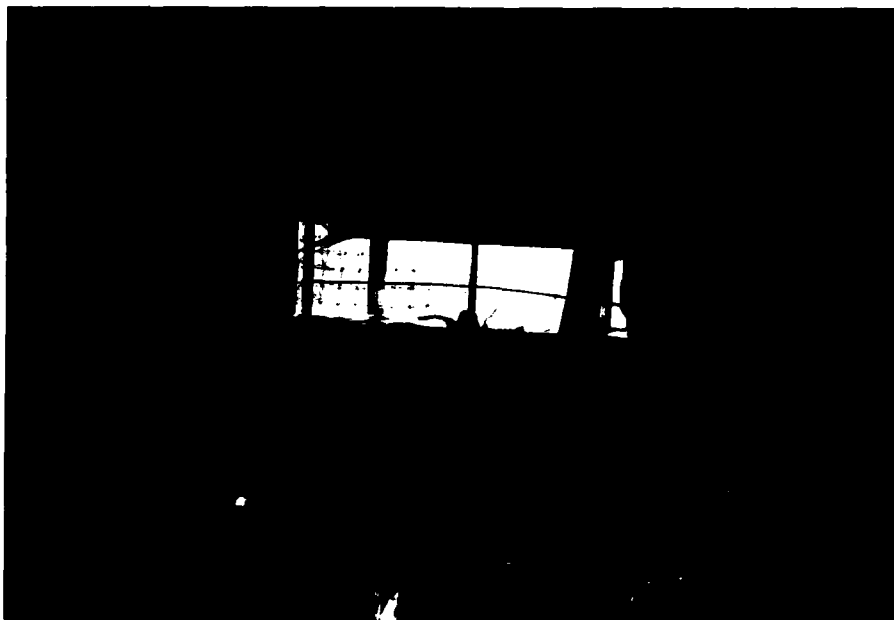


Photo 7 - Crest of spillway from downstream. Note 4" metal rail on top of crest (July 1980).



Photo 8 - Deterioration of concrete at left side of spillway chute (July 1980).

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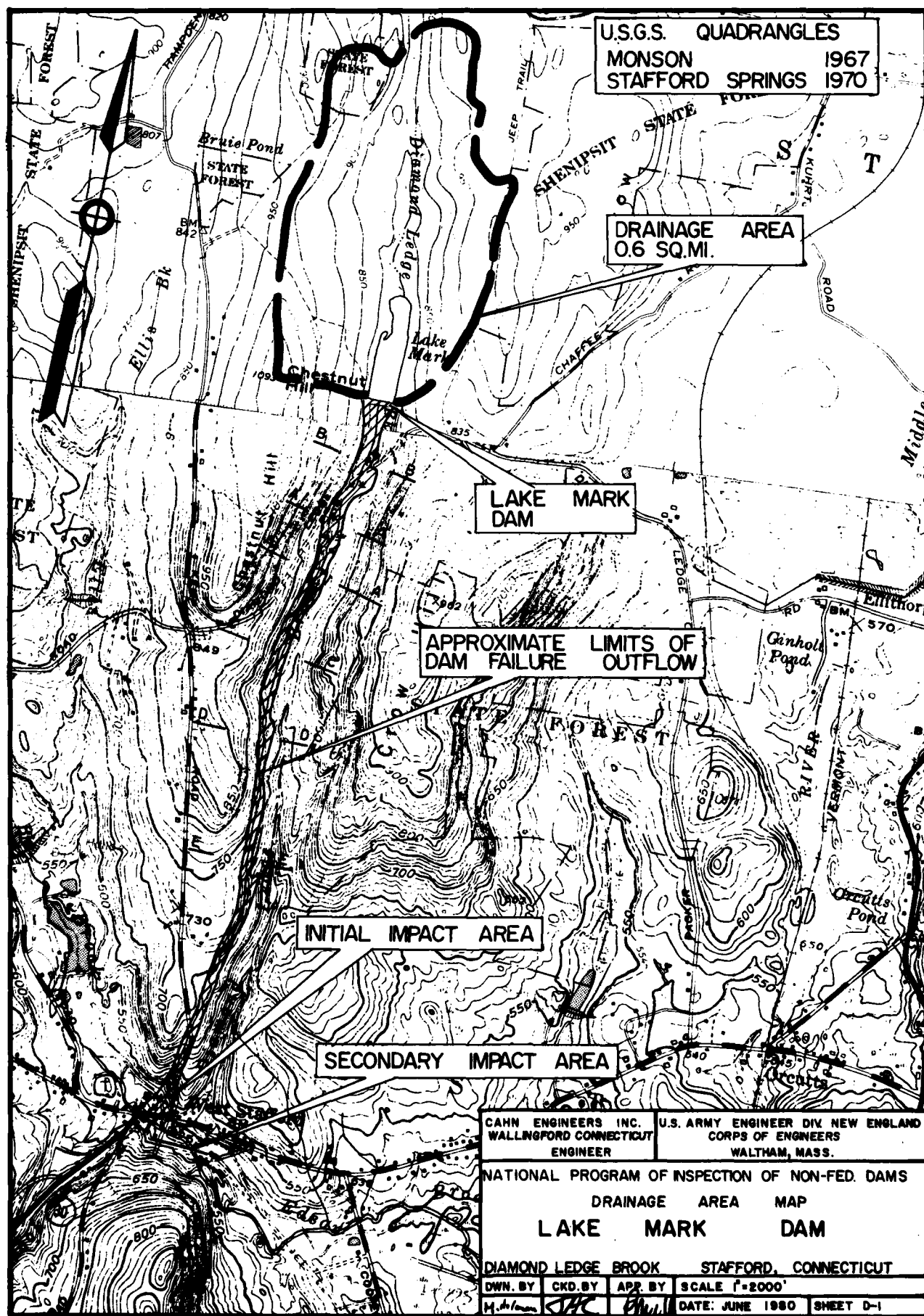
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APPENDIX D
HYDRAULICS/HYDROLOGIC COMPUTATIONS



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PROJECT NON FEDERAL DAM INSPECTION PROJECT NO. 80-10-12 SHEET 1 OF 33
NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY MA DATE 7/1/80
LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY EL DATE 7/2/80

PROBABLE MAXIMUM FLOOD (PMF) DETERMINATION

DRAINAGE AREA —

THE TOTAL DRAINAGE AREA = 0.6 SQ. MILES.
OBTAINED FROM PLANIMETERING THE DRAINAGE AREA
FROM USGS MAP.

WATERSHED CLASSIFICATION — "MOUNTAINOUS" TO "ROLLING"
THIS CLASSIFICATION IS ASSIGNED BY EXAMINING THE
USGS MAP AND A VISUAL INSPECTION OF SOME OF
THE TERRAIN

PMF PEAK INFLOW —

FROM THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS DECEMBER 1977
PEAK FLOW RATES GUIDE CURVES FOR A DRAINAGE
AREA OF 0.6 SQ. MILES, PMF WAS OBTAINED BY
EXTRAPOLATION. ACCOUNTING FOR A PORTION OF THE TERRAIN
WHICH CAN BE CONSIDERED "ROLLING", A PMF
INTENSITY LESS SEVERE THAN MOUNTAINOUS WAS
SELECTED WITH A VALUE OF 2800 CFS/SQ. MILES.

$$\therefore \text{PMF PEAK INFLOW} = 2800 \times 0.6 = \underline{1680 \text{ CFS}}$$

SIZE CLASSIFICATION —

FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING PROJECT SIZE,
THE MAXIMUM STORAGE ELEVATION IS CONSIDERED
EQUAL TO THE TOP OF DAM.

HEIGHT OF DAM
(FROM EXISTING DESIGN PLANS)

$$= \underline{22 \text{ FEET}}$$

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PLANIMETERING FROM USGS MAP FOR LAKE SURFACE AREAS
 AT EL. 755*, ASSUMED FOR SPILLWAY CREST, AREA = 16 ACRES
 AT EL. 760 AREA = 19 ACRES
 AT EL. 770 AREA = 22 ACRES

A STAGE-LAKE AREA CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 3)
 LAKE AREA TO TOP OF DAM FROM THIS CURVE, EL. 761 = 19.4 AC.
 LAKE AREA TO SPILLWAY CREST EL. 755 = 16 AC.
 AVERAGE LAKE AREA BETWEEN SPILLWAY CREST
 AND TOP OF DAM = 18 AC.
 ∴ MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY BETWEEN THE
 SPILLWAY CREST & TOP OF DAM = $6\text{ FT} \times 18\text{ AC} = 108\text{ AC}\cdot\text{FT}$.

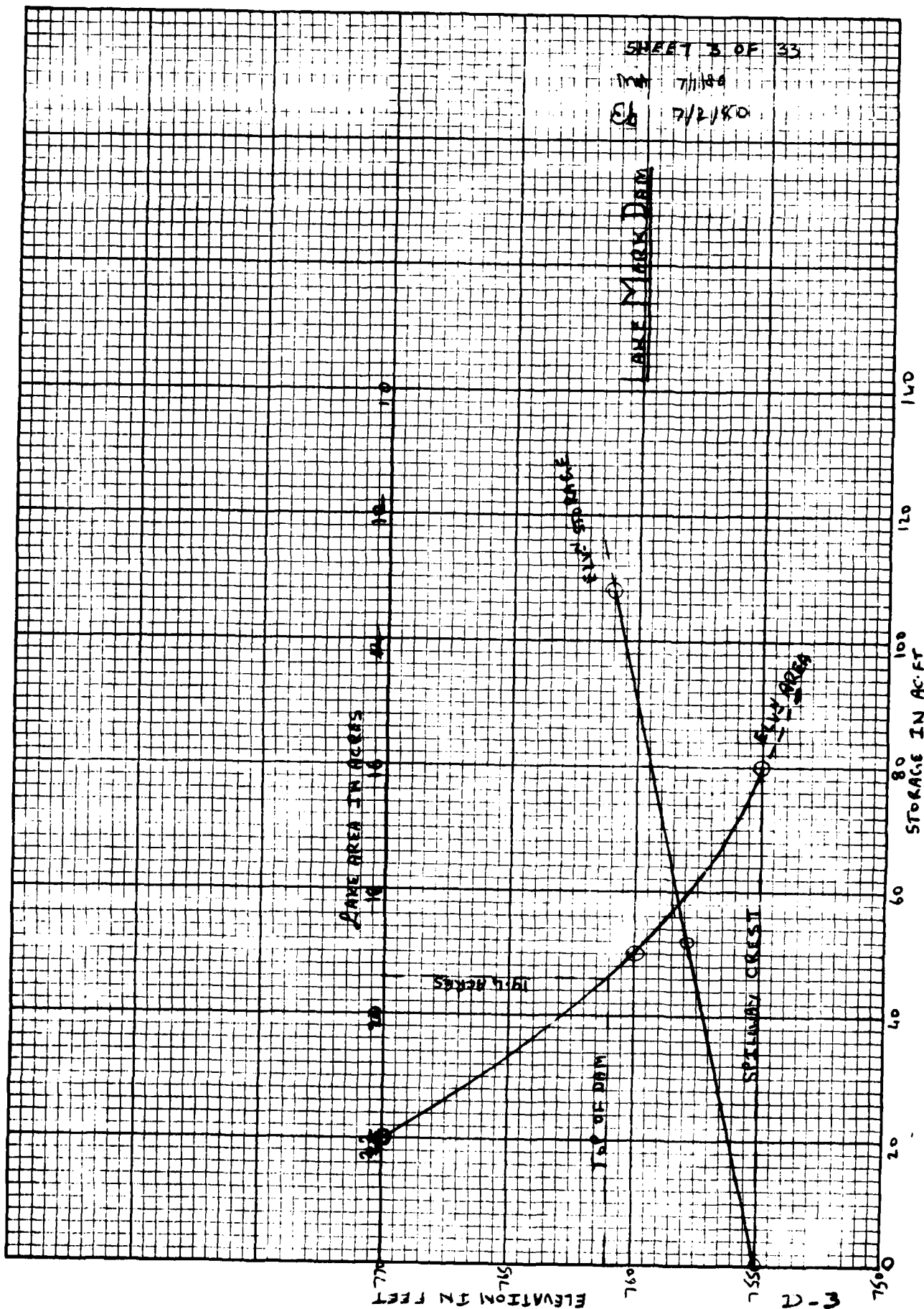
ESTIMATED STORAGE VOLUME BELOW SPILLWAY CREST = $\frac{1}{3}bh$
 $= \frac{1}{3} \times 16 \times 14 \approx 75\text{ AC}\cdot\text{FT}$
 (h = DIFFERENCE OF ELEVATIONS $755 - 741 = 14$; $b = 16\text{ ACRES}$)

ESTIMATED STORAGE VOLUME TO TOP OF DAM
 $= \text{STORAGE VOLUME TO SPILLWAY CREST} + \text{STORAGE VOLUME}$
 $\text{BETWEEN SPILLWAY CREST AND TOP OF DAM.}$
 $= 75 + 108\text{ AC}\cdot\text{FT} = 183\text{ AC}\cdot\text{FT}$

* THE USGS MAP DOES NOT INDICATE THE POOL ELEV. AT THE
 DAM. FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS ANALYSIS, THE SPILLWAY CREST ELEV.
 IS ASSUMED AS NORMAL POOL ELEV. AND, EXAMINING THE USGS
 MAP CONTOURS, AN EL. OF 155 NGVD IS ASSUMED REASONABLE
 FOR NORMAL POOL.

THE ORIGINAL DESIGN PLAN PREPARED BY BUCK & BUCK ENGINEERS
 (JANUARY 1953) INDICATES AN ELEV. OF 16 FOR SPILLWAY CREST.
 THUS, TOP OF THE DAM WHICH HAS AN ELEV. OF 21 PER
 THESE PLANS IS EQUIVALENT TO EL. 761 NGVD. THE NGVD
 IS CHOSEN FOR THIS ANALYSIS FOR CONVENIENCE OF
 ESTABLISHING A RELATIONSHIP FOR DIS HAZARD CONDITIONS.

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 7 X 10 INCHES
 KEUPPEL & ESSER CO.



SHEET 3 OF 33
 7/1/88
 7/2/80

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THUS, ACCORDING TO CORPS OF ENGINEERS GUIDELINES, TABLE 1, THE LAKE MARK DAM IS CLASSIFIED SMALL BASED UPON STORAGE (< 1000 & ≥ 60), EVEN THOUGH HEIGHT OF THE DAM IS $< 25'$. USING THE ABOVE DATA A STAGE-STORAGE CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 3) FOR LATER USE.

HAZARD POTENTIAL — SIGNIFICANT HAZARD CLASSIFICATION BASED ON DAM BREACH ANALYSIS AND RELATIVE LOCATIONS OF HOUSES AND OTHER STRUCTURES. A DETAILED DISCUSSION OF HAZARD POTENTIAL IS INCLUDED AT THE END OF BREACH ANALYSIS SECTION OF APPENDIX D.

TEST FLOOD PEAK INFLOW (A.P.) —

FOR THE SMALL SIZE AND SIGNIFICANT HAZARD POTENTIAL CLASSIFICATION, TABLE 3 OF CORPS OF ENGINEERS RECOMMENDED GUIDELINES, THE TEST FLOOD COULD BE IN THE 100 YR TO $\frac{1}{2}$ PMF RANGE. SELECTING THE HIGHER VALUE OF $\frac{1}{2}$ PMF, THE TEST FLOOD PEAK INFLOW $= \frac{1}{2} \times 1680 = 840$ CFS.

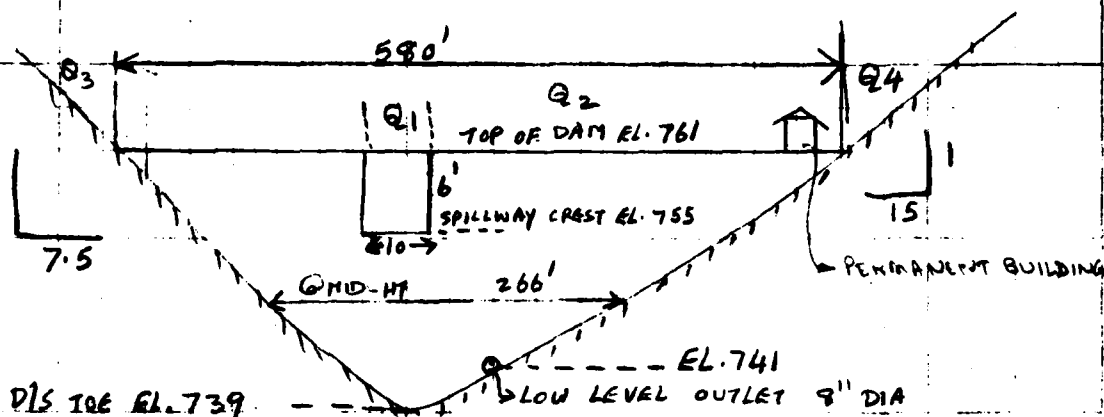
$\frac{1}{2}$ PMF WOULD RESULT FROM $9\frac{1}{2}"$ RUN-OFF FROM A DRAINAGE AREA $= 0.6$ AM.

\therefore STORM VOLUME $= \frac{9\frac{1}{2}}{12} \times 0.6 \times 640 = 304$ AC.FT.

MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY OF 108 AC.FT IS 35% OF THE STORM VOLUME OF 304 AC.FT.

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TEST FLOOD ANALYSIS



POTENTIAL FLOOD OVERFLOW PROFILE

THE SPILLWAY HAS A BROAD CRESTED WEIR 10' LONG & 3' WIDE. THE OUTFLOW CAPACITIES ARE CALCULATED AND SHOWN ON SHEET 7. THE SPILLWAY IS 10' LONG AND HAS A CONCRETE BROAD CRESTED WEIR.

$$Q_1 = CLH^{3/2}, L=10', C=3.0 \text{ ASSUMED TO INCLUDE THE EFFECT OF THE CONCRETE SLAB OVER THE SPILLWAY}$$

$$= 3.0 \times 10 \times H^{3/2} = 30 H^{3/2}$$

FOR THE DAM - $Q_2 = CLH^{3/2}$, WHERE $C=2.7$ ASSUMED,

$$= 2.7 \times 550 \times H^{3/2}$$

$$= 1485 H^{3/2}$$

$L = 580' - 10' - 20' = 550'$

(ASSUMING THE WIDTH OF THE BUILDING TO BE 20' AND DEDUCTING FROM TOTAL LENGTH)

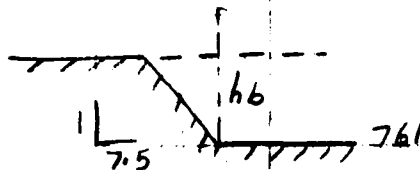
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THE OVERFLOW CAPACITY OF THE RIGHT ABUTMENT
 IS CALCULATED BY THE USGS METHOD *

$$Q_3 = 0.4 CL h_b^{3/2} C = 2.5 (\text{IRREGULAR BRUSH})$$

$$= 0.4 \times 2.5 \times 7.5 h_b \times h_b^{3/2}$$

$$= 7.5 h_b^{5/2}$$



SIMILARLY THE OVERFLOW CAPACITY Q_4 OF THE LEFT
ABUTMENT IS CALCULATED BY THE USGS METHOD

LOW LEVEL OUTLET - THE DIAMETER OF THE CONDUIT IS
 NOTED TO BE 8" AND THE DISCHARGE Q_5 FOR POOL
 AT TOP OF DAM IS ESTIMATED TO BE 10 CFS
 ACCOUNTING FOR USUAL LOSSES.

* USGS RECOMMENDED FORMULA FOR MORE PRECISE
 DISCHARGE OVER INCLINED DAM/EMBANKMENT/
 CREST (REF: MEASUREMENT OF PEAK DISCHARGES
 AT DAMS BY INDIRECT METHODS, USGS BOOK 3,
 CHAPTER A5, PAGE 3-4, 1968)

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TABULATION OF DISCHARGE RATES (CFS)

| | ELV. \bar{N} | SPILLWAY Q_1 CR. EL. 755 | DAM Q_2 CR. EL. 761 | RT. ABUT. Q_3 EL. 761 | LEFT. ABUT. Q_4 EL. 761 | TOTAL DISCHARGE |
|------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| | 758 | 156 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 156 |
| | 759 | 240 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 240 |
| | 760 | 335 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 335 |
| TOP OF DAM | 761 | 440 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 440 |
| TEST FLOOD | 761.5 | 460 | 85 | 0 | 0 | 545 |
| | 761.5 | 497 | 525 | 1 | 3 | 1026 |
| | 762 | 556 | 1485 | 8 | 15 | 2064 |

NOTE: CONSIDERING THE OVERFLOW CAPACITIES ABOVE,
THE DISCHARGE CAPACITY OF THE LOW LEVEL
OUTLET IS NEGLECTED.

WITH ABOVE DATA, DISCHARGE RATING CURVES ARE
PLOTTED (SHEET 8)

DETERMINATION OF PEAK OUTFLOW

SHORTCUT ROUTING OF RESERVOIR—

FOR TEST FLOOD INFLOW OF 840 CFS Q_P

$\frac{1}{2}$ PMF HAS $9\frac{1}{2}$ " OF RUN-OFF FROM THE
DRAINAGE AREA.

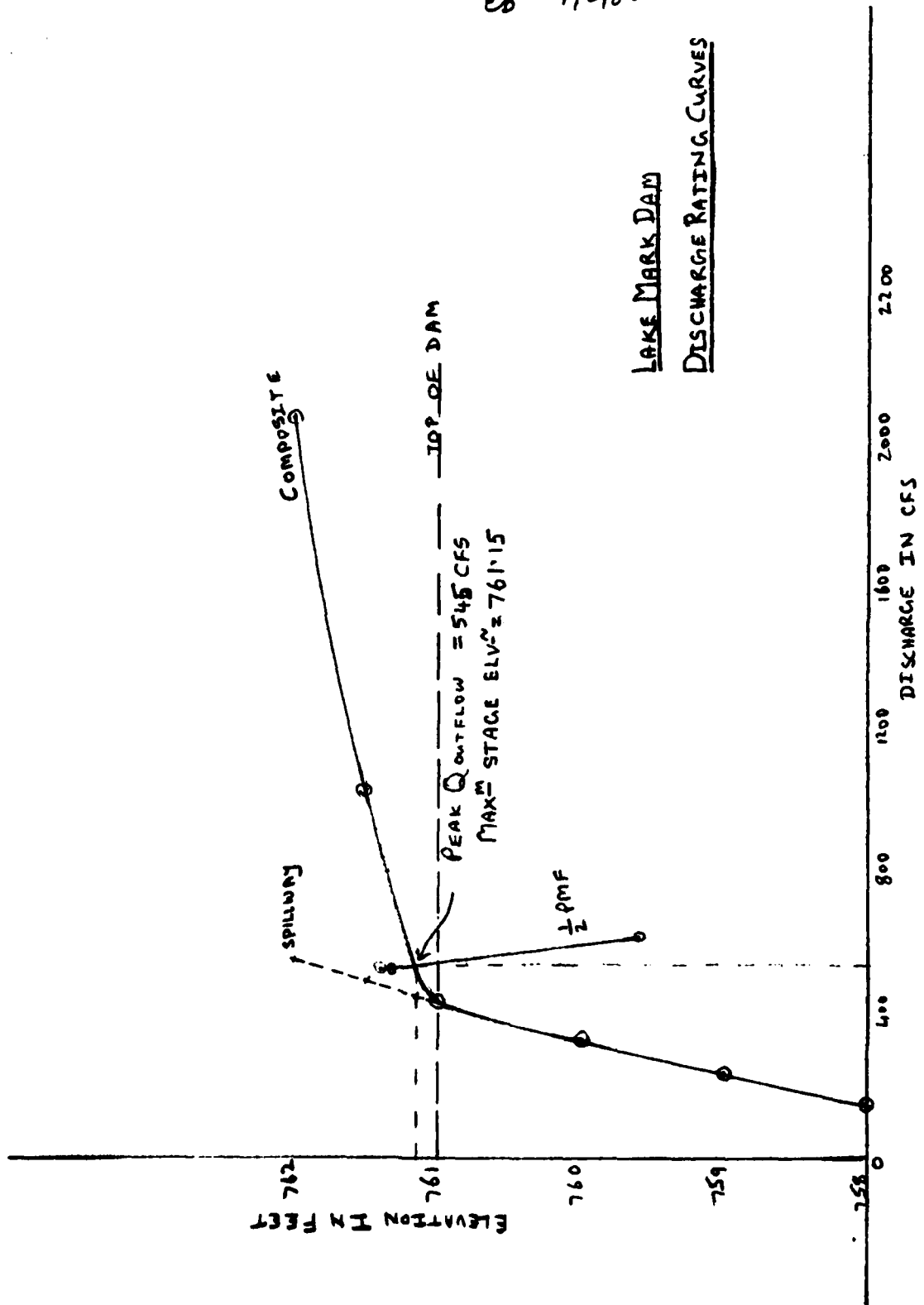
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LAKE MARK DAM

DISCHARGE RATING CURVES



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NOW, FROM THE RATING CURVE (SHEET 8) FOR 840 CFS.
 WE OBTAIN AN EL. 761.38
 AND FROM THE STORAGE CURVE FOR EL. 761.38, WE
 OBTAIN A STORAGE OF 114 AC. FT.

$$\frac{114 \text{ AC. FT.} \times 12}{0.6 \times 640 \text{ ACRES}} = 3.56 \text{ INCHES OF RUN-OFF} = \text{STORI}$$

$$Q_P = Q_P \left(1 - \frac{\text{STORI}}{9\frac{1}{2}}\right)$$

| ① STORI. INCHES | ② $\left(1 - \frac{\text{STORI}}{9\frac{1}{2}}\right)$ | ③ STORI AC. FT. ① $\times 0.6 \times 640$ 12 | ④ Q _P - CFS ② $\times 840$ CFS | ⑤ ELVN FROM STORAGE CURVE USING COLUMN ③ |
|-----------------------|---|--|--|---|
| 2.50 | 0.737 | 80 | 619 | 759.6 |
| 3.44 | 0.638 | 110 | 536 | 761.4 |
| 3.56 | 0.63 | 114 | 529 | 761.38 |

COLUMNS ④ AND ⑤ ARE PLOTTED ON SHEET 8 AND
 WE OBTAIN PEAK OUTFLOW Q = 545 CFS.

AND MAXIMUM STAGE = 761.15
 TOP OF DAM = EL. 761.

∴ THE DAM IS OVERTOPPED BY 0.15 FT. SAY 0.2⁺ FT.

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BREACH ANALYSIS - DOWNSTREAM FAILURE HAZARD

DAM WIDTH @ MID-HEIGHT = 266 FT (ORIGINAL PLANS)
 $W_b = 40\% \times 266 = 106.4$, SAY = 105 FT.
 $Y_o = EL. 761.0 - EL. 739$ = 22 FT.
 (TO TOP OF DAM)

BREACH OUTFLOW $Q_b = \frac{8}{27} W_b \sqrt{Y_o} Y_o^{3/2}$

$Q_b = \frac{8}{27} \times 105 \sqrt{32.2} (22.0)^{3/2}$
 $Q_b = 18,200 \text{ CFS}$

PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW Q_p = BREACH OUTFLOW Q_b , SINCE
 SPILLWAY IS PART OF BREACH $\therefore Q_p = 18,200 \text{ CFS}$.

FAILURE FLOOD DEPTH IMMEDIATELY D/S OF THE DAM
 $\approx .44 Y_o = .44 \times 22 = 9.7 \text{ FT}$

PERFORM DOWNSTREAM ROUTING OF PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW

SELECT A SECTION BB 920' DOWNSTREAM OF
 THE DAM.

USING MANNING'S EQUATION $Q = A \times \frac{1.486}{n} \times R^{2/3} \times S^{1/2}$

WHERE $n = 0.075$ ASSUMED, $S = 0.01$ ESTIMATED FROM
 USGS MAP

$\therefore Q = 1.98 A R^{2/3}$

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| ELEV | A - SQ. FT. | P | R = A/P | R ^{2/3} | Q CFS |
|-------|-------------|-------|---------|------------------|--------|
| 727.8 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| 730 | 154 | 140 | 1.10 | 1.07 | 326 |
| 735 | 1279 | 306.6 | 4.17 | 2.59 | 6,560 |
| 740 | 3229 | 471 | 6.86 | 3.61 | 23,080 |

STAGE-AREA AND STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVES ARE PLOTTED 'BB'. FOR A PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW OF 18,200 CFS, ELEV. = 739.1

AND SECTION BB ON SHEET 12 GIVES AN AREA = 2793 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore \text{VOLUME OF REACH } V_1 = \frac{920 \times 2793}{43,560} = 58.99 \approx 59 \text{ AC. FT.}$$

$$\text{TRIAL } Q_2 = Q_1 \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{S}\right) \text{ WHERE } S = \text{TOTAL STORAGE TO TOP OF DAM EL. 761.0}$$

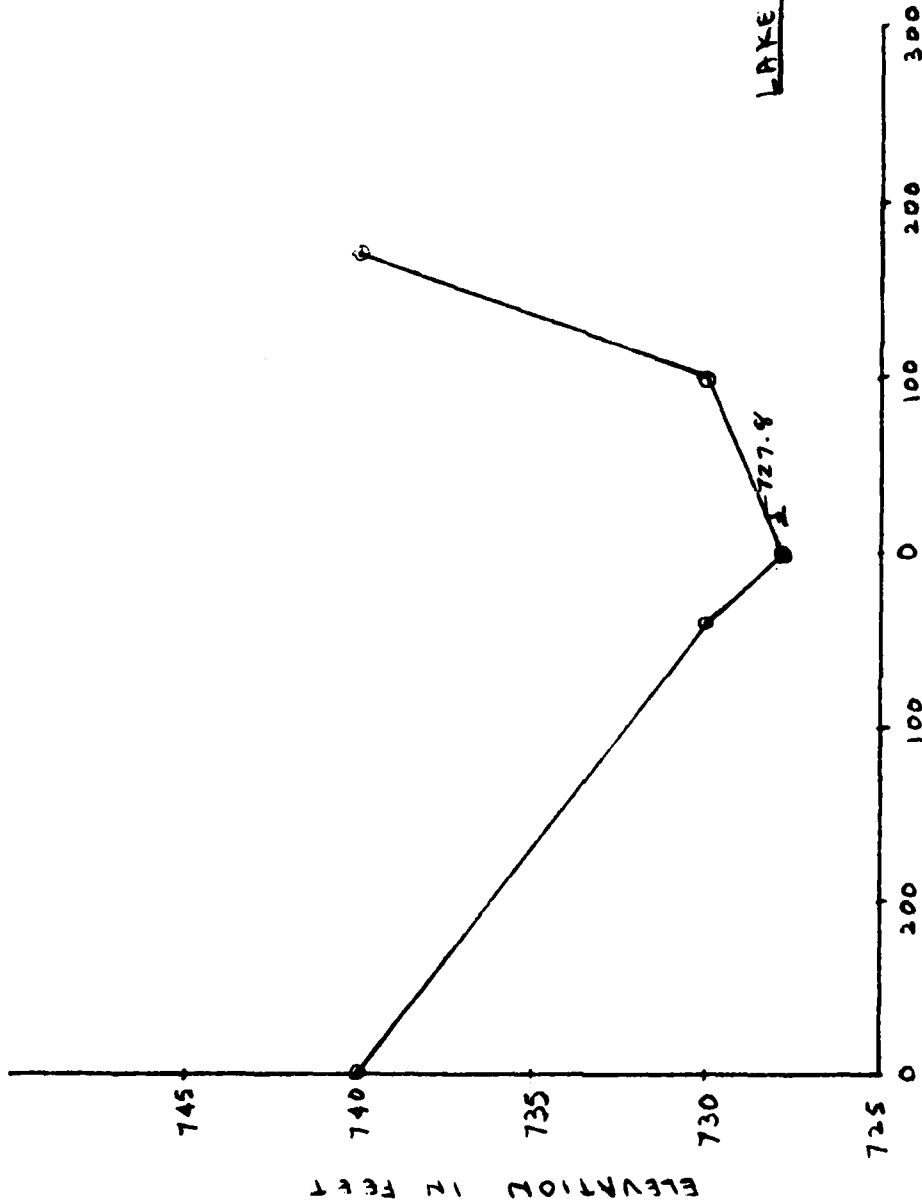
$$= 18,200 \left(1 - \frac{59}{183}\right) \approx 12,350 \text{ CFS.}$$

FOR THIS Q_2 , THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 737.5 AND SECTION BB ON SHEET 12 GIVES AN AREA = 2126 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore V_2 = \frac{920 \times 2126}{43,560} \approx 45 \text{ AC. FT.}$$

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LAKE MARK DAM



HORIZONTAL DISTANCE IN FEET

LOOKING DOWNSTREAM

SECTION BB
 920' DOWNSTREAM OF DAM

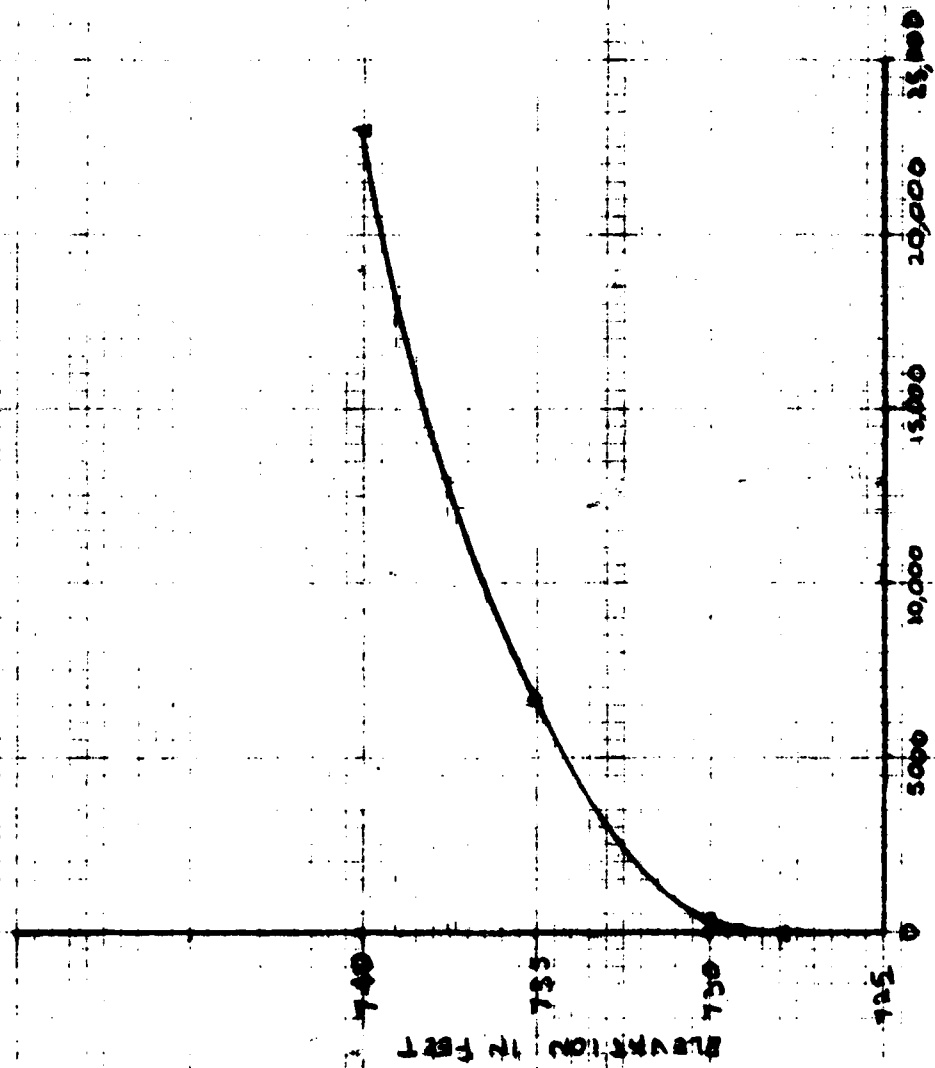
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STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE

WYE MARK DAM

SECTION BB

DISCHARGE IN CFS



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LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY EL DATE 7/2/80

$$\text{RECOMPUTING, } Q P_2 = 13,200 \left(1 - \frac{59+45}{2} \right) \\ = 13,000 \text{ CFS}$$

AND THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVES GIVES EL. 737.7
FLOOD STAGE AT SECTION BB = EL. 737.7 - EL. 727.8
= 9.9 FT.

AREA OF CROSS-SECTION AT BB = 2210 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore \text{VELOCITY} = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{13,000}{2210} = 5.9 \text{ FPS.}$$

SELECT A SECTION A-A' 1000' DIS OF BB
FROM USGS MAP. A STAGE-AREA CURVE IS PLOTTED

$$Q = A \times \frac{1.486}{n} \times R^{2/3} \times S^{1/2}$$

CHANNEL SLOPE S = .00425

ESTIMATED FROM USGS MAP.

FOR $n = .075$ ASSUMED.

$$= A \times \frac{1.486}{.075} \times R^{2/3} \times (.00425)^{1/2} \\ = 1.29 A R^{2/3}$$

| ELVD | A - FT ² | P | R = A/P | R ^{2/3} | Q CFS |
|--------|---------------------|--------|---------|------------------|--------|
| 728.75 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| 730 | 659 | 310.14 | 2.12 | 1.65 | 1405 |
| 735 | 2434 | 401.47 | 6.06 | 3.33 | 10,460 |
| 740 | 4659 | 492.80 | 9.45 | 4.47 | 26,900 |

STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 16)

FOR $Q = 13,000$ CFS, THIS GIVES EL. 736

AND FOR EL. 736, AREA CURVE GIVES 28480'

$$V_1 = \frac{1000 \times 2848}{43,560} = 65.4 \text{ AC. FT.}$$

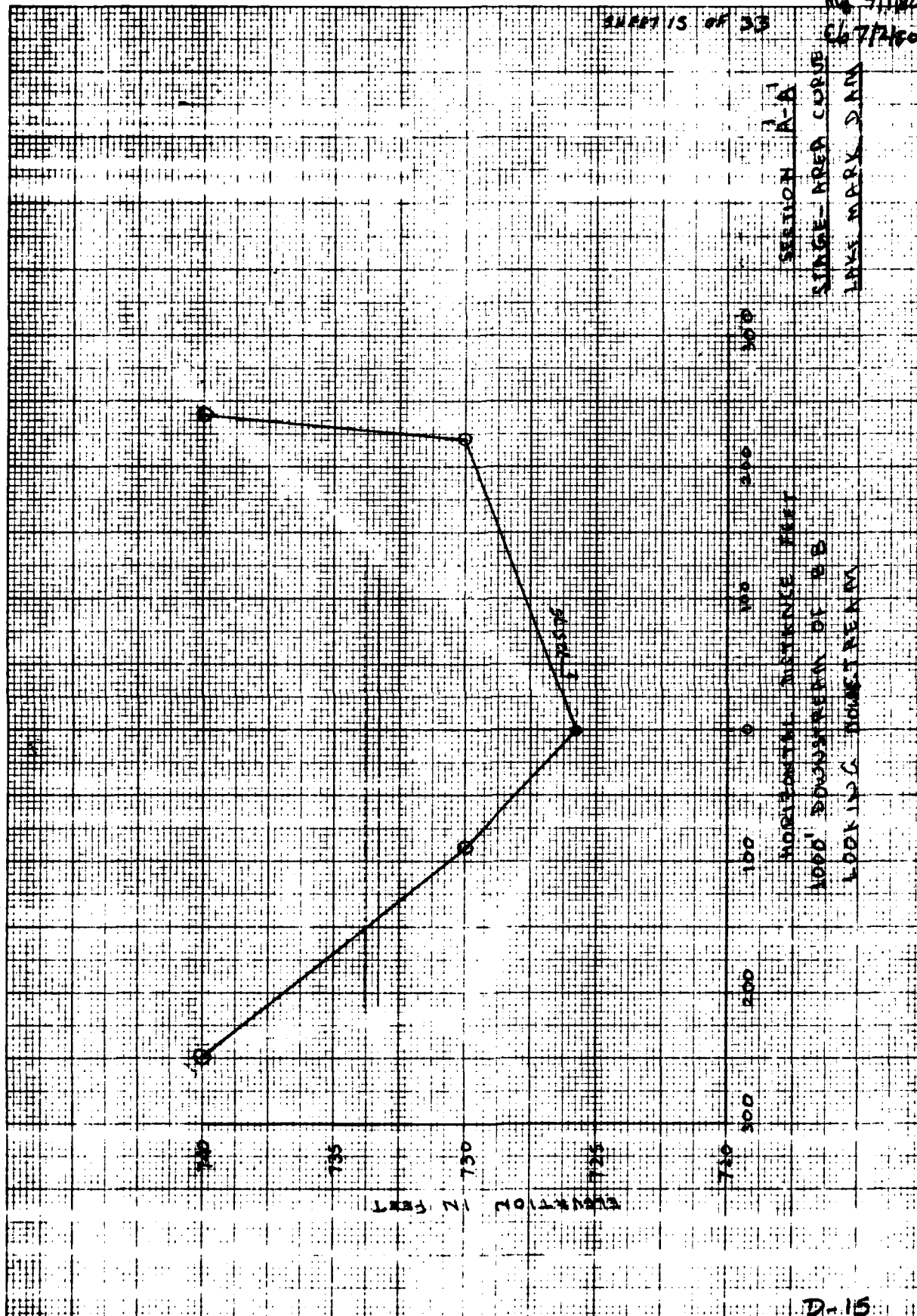
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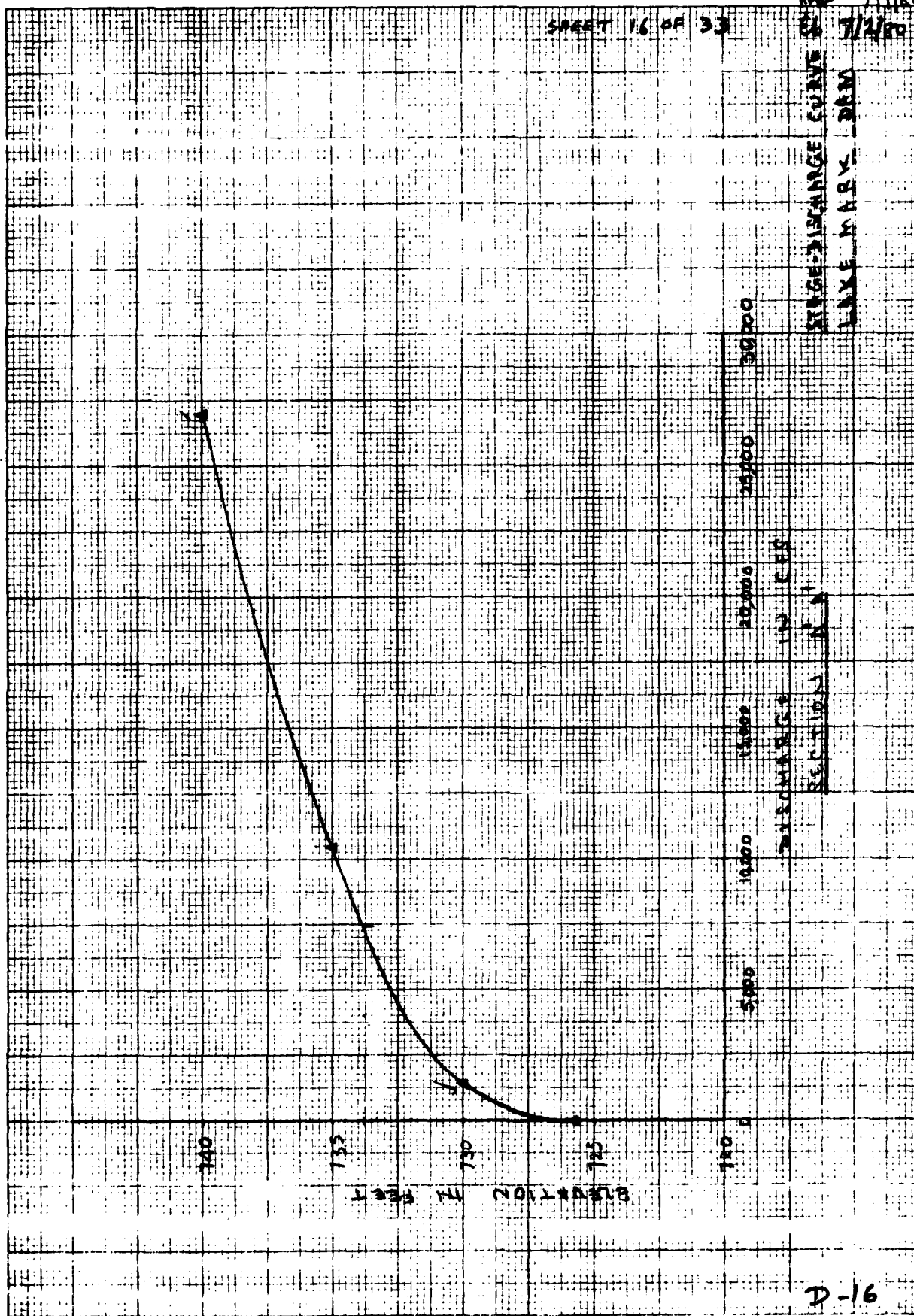
SECTION A-A

SINGLE AREA CURVE

LAKE MARK DAM



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7/2/80
STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE
LAKE MARY DAM



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NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY MA DATE 7/1/80
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$$\text{TRIAL } Q_2 = Q_1 \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{S}\right) \quad S = 183 - \frac{59 + 45}{2} = 131 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$= 13,000 \left(1 - \frac{65.4}{131}\right) = 6,500 \text{ CFS}$$

FOR THIS Q_2 , THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE ON SHEET 16
 GIVES ELVN 733.5 AND STAGE AREA CURVE ON SHEET 15
 GIVES AN AREA = 18.57 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore V_2 = \frac{1000 \times 18.57}{43.560} = 42.6 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$\text{RECOMPUTING } Q_2 = 13,000 \left(1 - \frac{65.4 + 42.6}{131}\right) = 7650 \text{ CFS}$$

AND THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 733.9
 FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION A'A' = EL. 733.9 - EL. 725.75
 = 8.15 FT. SAY 8.2 FT.
 AREA OF CROSS-SECTION AT A'A' FOR EL. 733.9 = 2000 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore \text{VELOCITY} = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{7650}{2000} = 3.8 \text{ FPS}$$

SELECT A SECTION AA-880' DOWN STREAM OF A'A'
 $Q_1 = 7650 \text{ CFS}$, $S = 131 - \frac{65.4 + 42.6}{2} = 77 \text{ AC.FT.}$
 REMAINING.

FROM USGS MAP, STAGE-AREA CURVE IS PLOTTED
 (SHEET 18)

$$Q = A \times \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} D^{1/2}$$

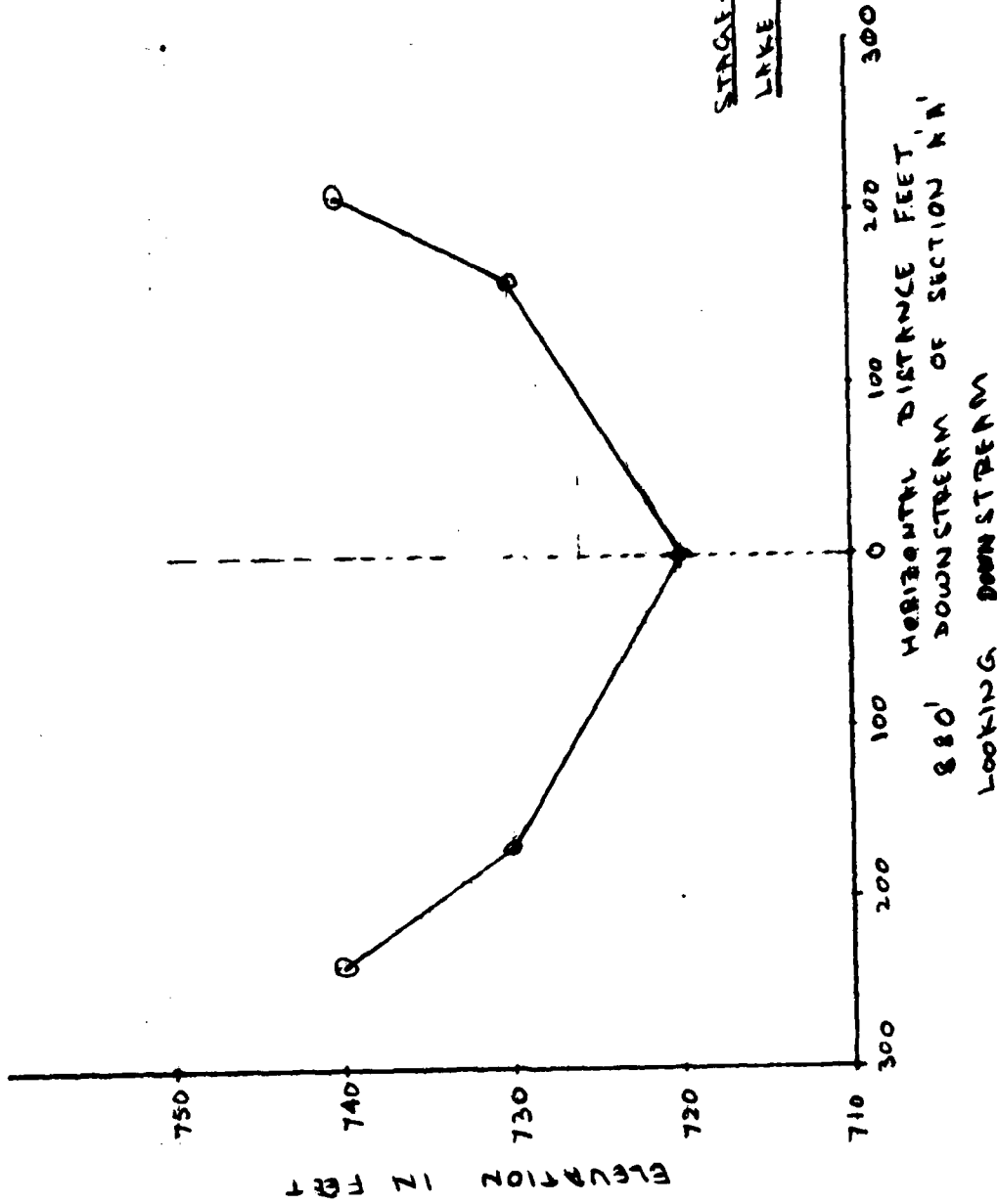
$$= 1.47 A R^{2/3}$$

$A = 0.0055$ ESTIMATED FROM
 USGS MAP
 $n = 0.075$ ASSUMED

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STRAKE-REAR CURVE
LAKE MARY DAM



SECTION A-D

880' DOWNSTREAM OF SECTION A-D
LOOKING DOWNSTREAM

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MA 7/1/80

66 7/2/80

LAKE MARK DAM

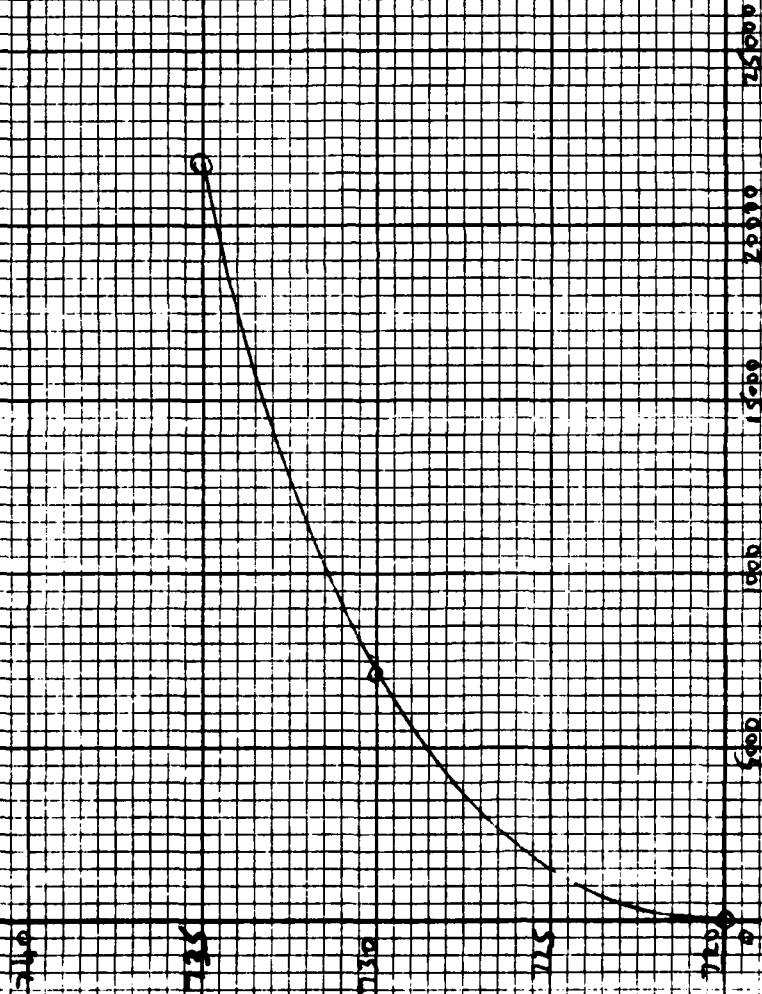
STAGE DISCHARGE CURVE

SECTION AA

DISCHARGE IN CFS

ELEVATION IN FEET

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NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY MA DATE 7/1/80
LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY EB DATE 7/2/80

| ELVD | A - FT ² | P | $R = \frac{A}{P}$ | $R^{2/3}$ | Q CFS |
|------|---------------------|-------|-------------------|-----------|--------|
| 720 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| 730 | 1650 | 330.6 | 4.99 | 2.92 | 7085 |
| 735 | 3475 | 393 | 8.84 | 4.27 | 21,815 |
| 740 | 5550 | 452.3 | 12.27 | 5.31 | 43,320 |

A STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 19)
 FOR $Q_{P1} = 7650$ CFS. THIS CURVE GIVES EL. 730.2
 AND FOR EL. 730.2, THE STAGE-AREA CURVE GIVES 1715 SQ. FT.

$$V_1 = \frac{880 \times 1715}{43,320} = 34.6 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$\text{TRIAL } Q_{P2} = Q_{P1} \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{5}\right) = 7650 \left(1 - \frac{34.6}{77}\right) \approx 4200 \text{ CFS}$$

FOR THIS Q_{P2} , THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 728.0
 AND STAGE-AREA CURVE GIVES AN AREA = 1060 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore V_2 = \frac{880 \times 1060}{43,320} = 21.4 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$\text{RECOMPUTING } Q_{P2} = 7650 \left(1 - \frac{34.6 + 21.4}{77}\right) \approx 4850 \text{ CFS}$$

AND THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 728.5

$$\text{FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION AA} = \text{EL. 728.5} - \text{EL. 720.0} \\ = 8.5 \text{ FT}$$

AREA OF CROSS SECTION AT AA FOR EL. 728.5 ≈ 1200 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore \text{VELOCITY} = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{4850}{1200} = 4.0 \text{ FPS.}$$

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SELECT A SECTION CC = 1300 DOWNSTREAM OF AA

$Q_{P1} = 4850$ CFS, $S = 77-28 = 49$ AC. FT REMAINING
FROM USGS MAP, STAGE-AREA CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 22)

$$Q = A \times \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} \frac{1}{A^{1/2}} \quad \begin{array}{l} S = 0.01 \text{ ESTIMATED FROM USGS MAP} \\ n = 0.075 \text{ ASSUMED} \end{array}$$

$$= 1.98 A R^{2/3}$$

| ELVN | A-FT ² | P | R | R ^{2/3} | Q, CFS |
|-------|-------------------|-----|------|------------------|--------|
| 710 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| 717.5 | 506 | 138 | 3.67 | 2.38 | 2380 |
| 720 | 901 | 187 | 4.82 | 2.85 | 5085 |
| 722.5 | 1409 | 228 | 6.18 | 3.37 | 9395 |

A STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 23)
FOR $Q_{P1} = 4850$ CFS. THIS CURVE GIVES EL. 719.9
AND FOR EL. 719.9, THE STAGE AREA CURVE GIVES AN AREA
 $= 881$ AC. FT.

$$V_1 = \frac{1300 \times 881}{43,560} = 26.3 \text{ AC. FT.}$$

$$\text{TRIAL } Q_{P2} = Q_{P1} \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{S}\right)$$

$$= 4850 \left(1 - \frac{26.3}{49}\right) = 2250 \text{ CFS}$$

FOR THIS Q_{P2} , THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES
EL. 717.2

AND STAGE-AREA CURVE GIVES AN AREA = 468 SQ. FT.

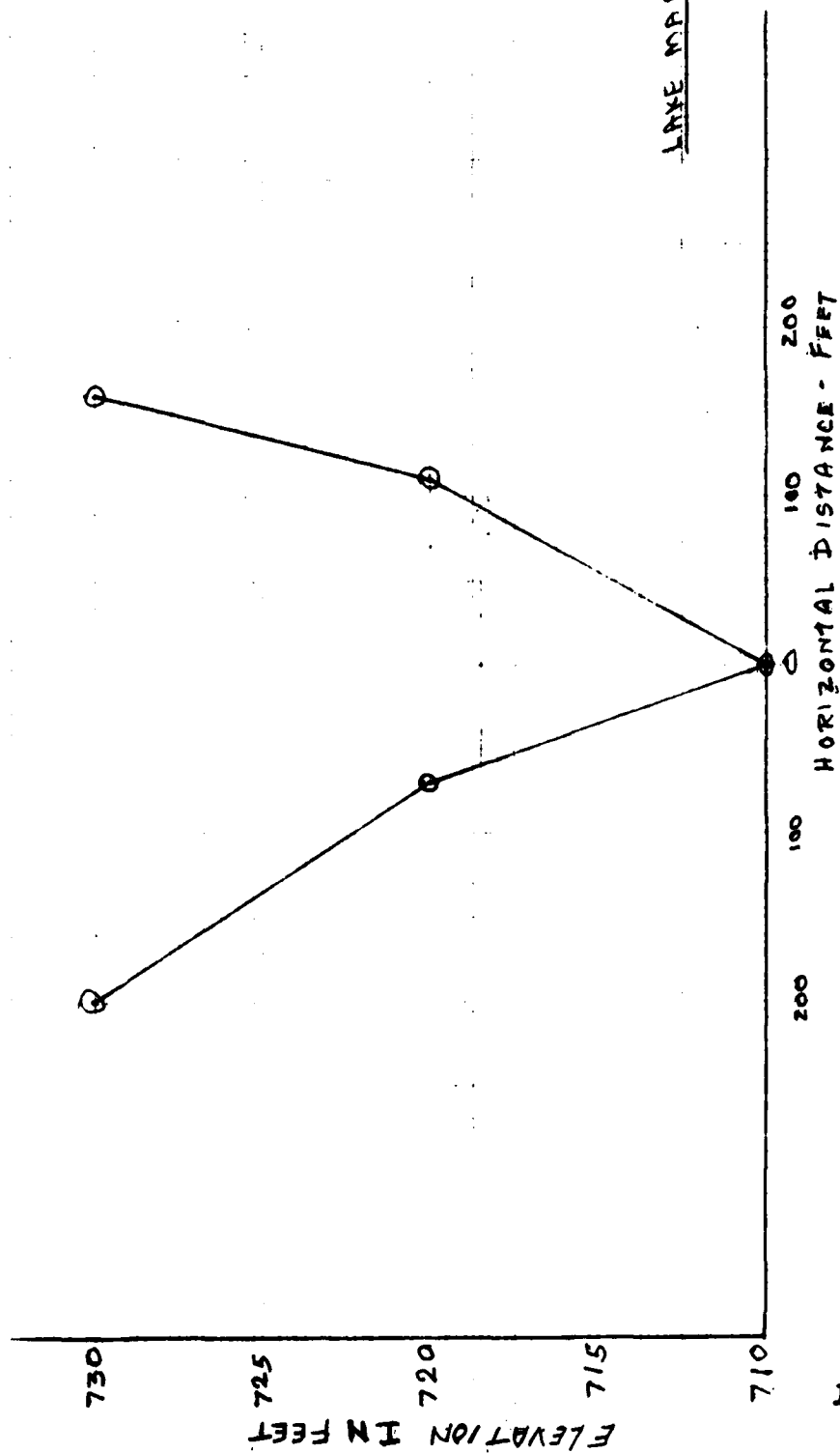
$$\therefore V_2 = \frac{1300 \times 468}{43,560} = 14 \text{ AC. FT.}$$

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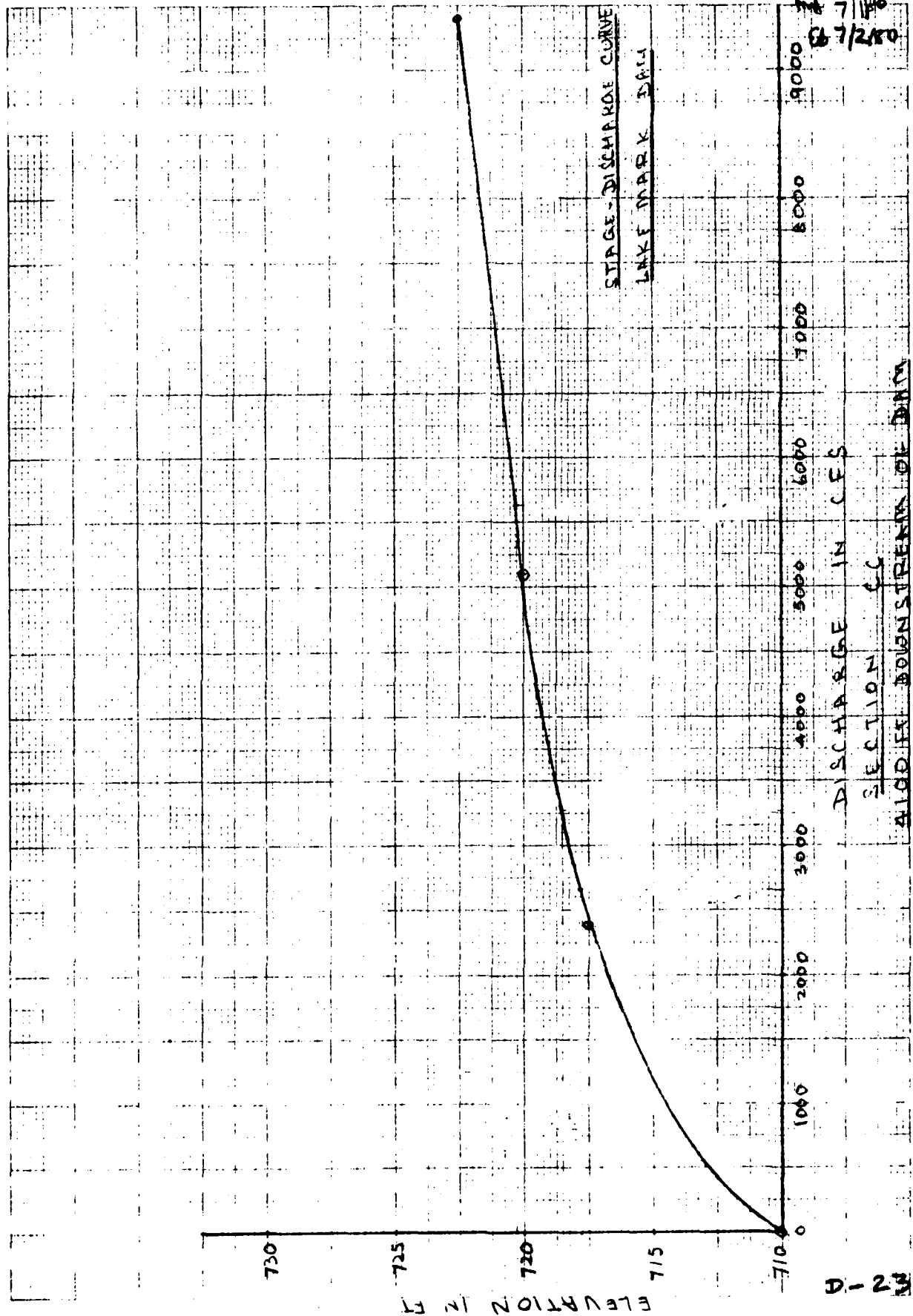
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LAKE MARK DAM



SECTION C-C
4100' DOWNSTREAM OF DAM
LOOKING DOWNSTREAM

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DISCHARGE IN CFS
SECTION CC
ALCOA DOWNSTREAM OF DAM

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NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY MB DATE 7/1/80
LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY CB DATE 7/2/80

$$\text{RECOMPUTING } Q/P_2 = 4850 \left(1 - \frac{26.3 + 14}{2 \times 49}\right) = 2850 \text{ CFS}$$

AND THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 718
 FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION CC = EL. 718 - EL. 710 = 8 FT.

AREA OF CROSS SECTION AT CC FOR EL. 718 = 590 SQ. FT.

$$\text{VELOCITY} = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{2850}{590} = \underline{4.8} \text{ FPS}$$

REMAINING = $49 - \frac{26.3 + 14}{2} = 29 \text{ AC. FT.}$
 WHICH IS 16% OF INITIAL FLOOD VOLUME

SELECT ANOTHER SECTION DD - 1300' DOWN STREAM
 OF 'CC', $Q/P_1 = 2850$ $S = 29 \text{ AC. FT.}$ FROM USGS
 MAP, STAGE AREA CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET 25)

$$Q = A \times \frac{1.486}{m} R^{2/3} \sqrt{S}$$

$$= 2.46 A R^{2/3}$$

$S = 0.0154$ ESTIMATED FROM USGS MAP
 $m = 0.075$ ASSUMED

| EL. | A-FT ² | P | R | R ^{2/3} | Q-CFS |
|-----|-------------------|-----|------|------------------|-------|
| 690 | 0 | - | - | - | - |
| 695 | 212 | 86 | 2.47 | 1.83 | 955 |
| 700 | 857 | 172 | 4.98 | 2.92 | 6155 |

A STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE IS PLOTTED (SHEET-25)
 FOR $Q/P_1 = 2850 \text{ CFS}$, THIS CURVE GIVES EL. 697.7

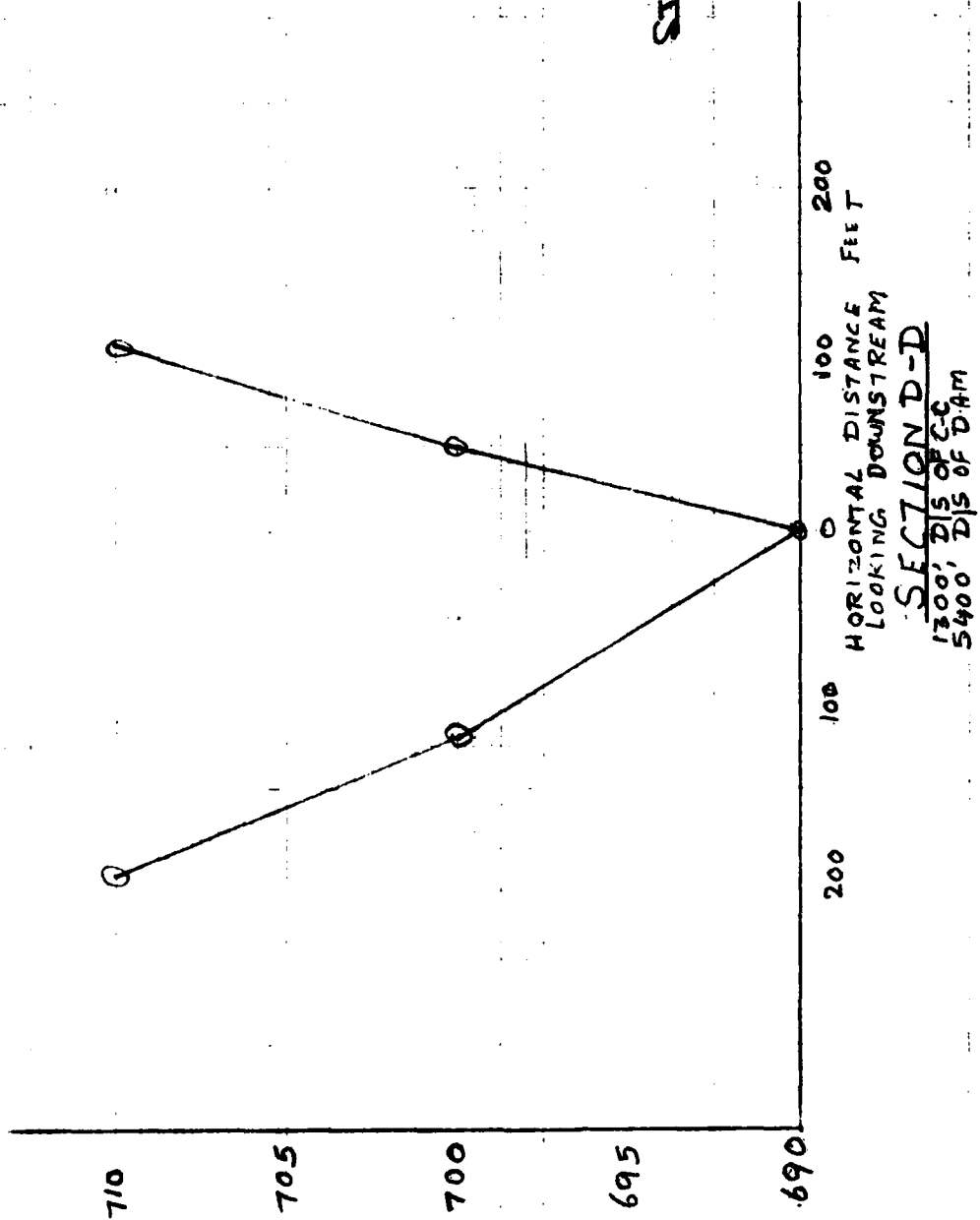
AND FOR EL. 697.7, THE STAGE AREA CURVE GIVES
 = 500 SQ. FT.

$$V_1 = \frac{1300 \times 500}{43,560} = 15 \text{ AC. FT.}$$

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STAGE-AREA CURVE
LIVE MARK DAM



SECTION D-D
1300' DIS OF CC
5400' DIS OF DAM

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ELEVATION IN FEET

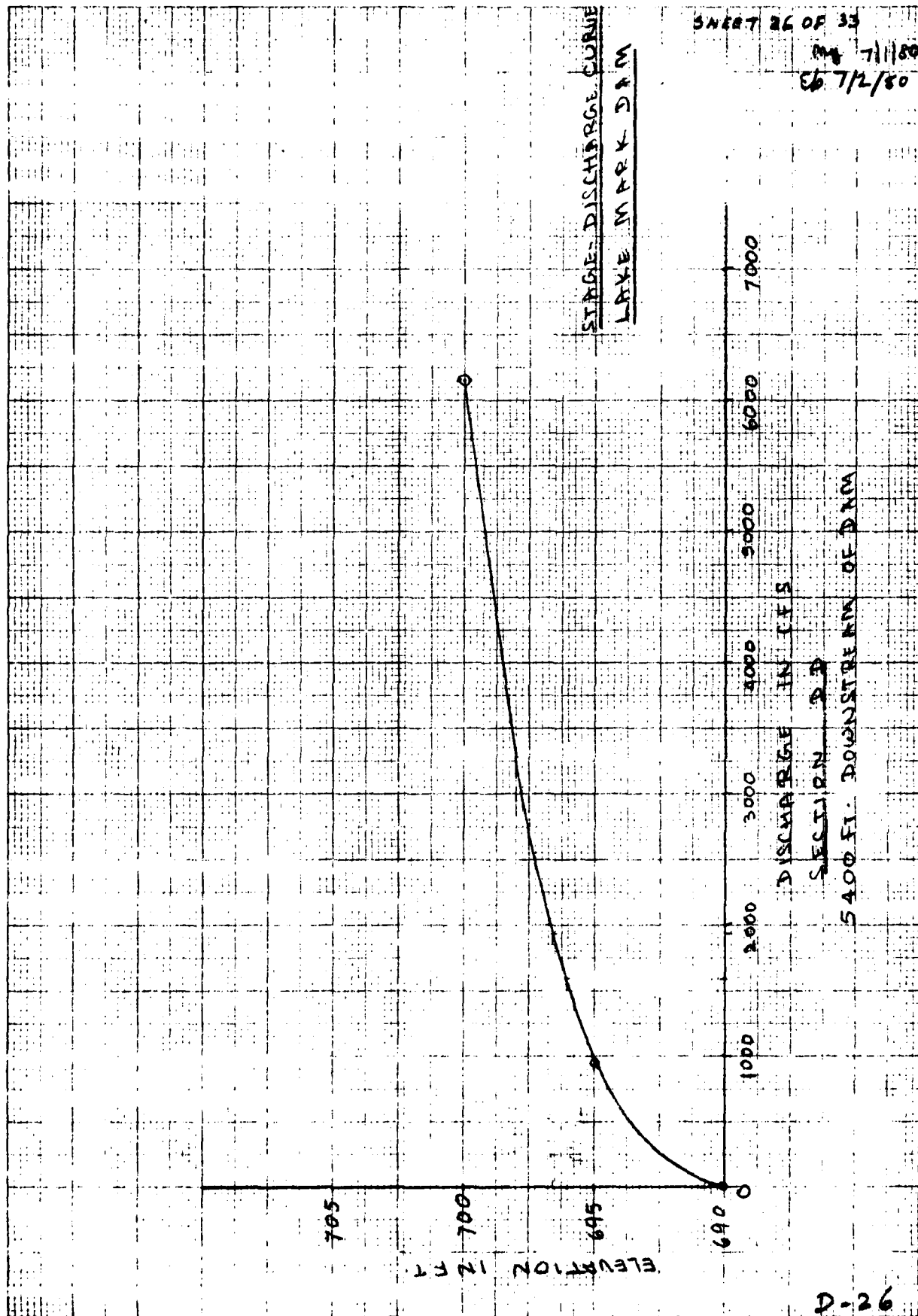
HORIZONTAL DISTANCE FEET

LOOKING DOWNSTREAM

STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE
LAKE MARK DAM

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BY 7/1/80
CB 7/2/80



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NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY MA DATE 7/1/80
LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY Ch DATE 7/2/80

$$\text{TRIAL } Q_{P_2} = Q_{P_1} \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{2}\right) = 2850 \left(1 - \frac{15}{29}\right) = 1375 \text{ CFS}$$

FOR THIS Q_{P_2} , THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES
EL. 695.75 AND STAGE-AREA CURVE GIVES
AN AREA = 282 AC.FT.

$$\therefore V_2 = \frac{1300 \times 282}{43.560} = 8.4 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$\text{RECOMPUTING } Q_{P_2} = 2850 \left(1 - \frac{15 + 8.4}{29}\right) = 1700 \text{ CFS}$$

AND THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 696.3
FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION DD = EL. 696.3 - EL. 690 = 6.3 FT.
AREA OF CROSS-SECTION AT DD FOR EL. 696.3 = 325 SQ. FT.

$$\text{VELOCITY} = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{1700}{325} = 5.2 \text{ FPS}$$

SELECT ANOTHER SECTION EE - 1900' DOWNSTREAM
OF DD $Q_{P_1} = 1700 \text{ CFS}$, $S = 29 - \frac{15 + 8.4}{2} = 17.3 \text{ AC.FT.}$

FROM USGS MAP STAGE AREA CURVE IS PLOTTED

$$Q = A \times \frac{1.486}{m} \times R^{2/3} \times S^{1/2}$$

$$= 3.53 A R^{2/3}$$

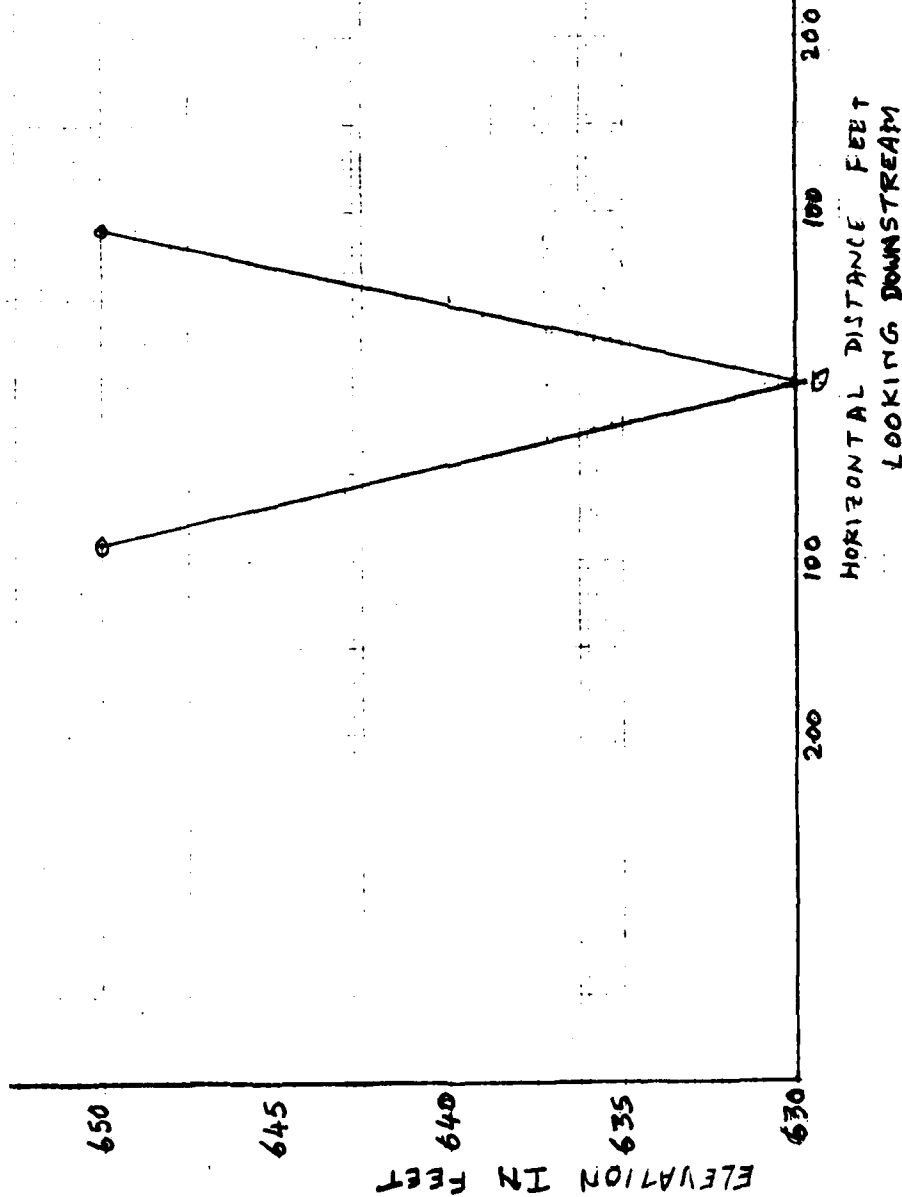
$S = 0.0316$ ESTIMATED FROM
USGS MAP
 $m = 20$ CFS ASSUMED

| EL | A - FT ² | P | R | R ^{2/3} | Q - CFS |
|-------|---------------------|----|------|------------------|---------|
| 630 | 0 | - | - | - | - |
| 635 | 120 | 49 | 2.45 | 1.82 | 770 |
| 637.5 | 259 | 70 | 3.70 | 2.39 | 2185 |
| 639.0 | 369 | 83 | 4.45 | 2.70 | 3520 |

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STAGE-AREA CURVE
LAKE MARY DAM

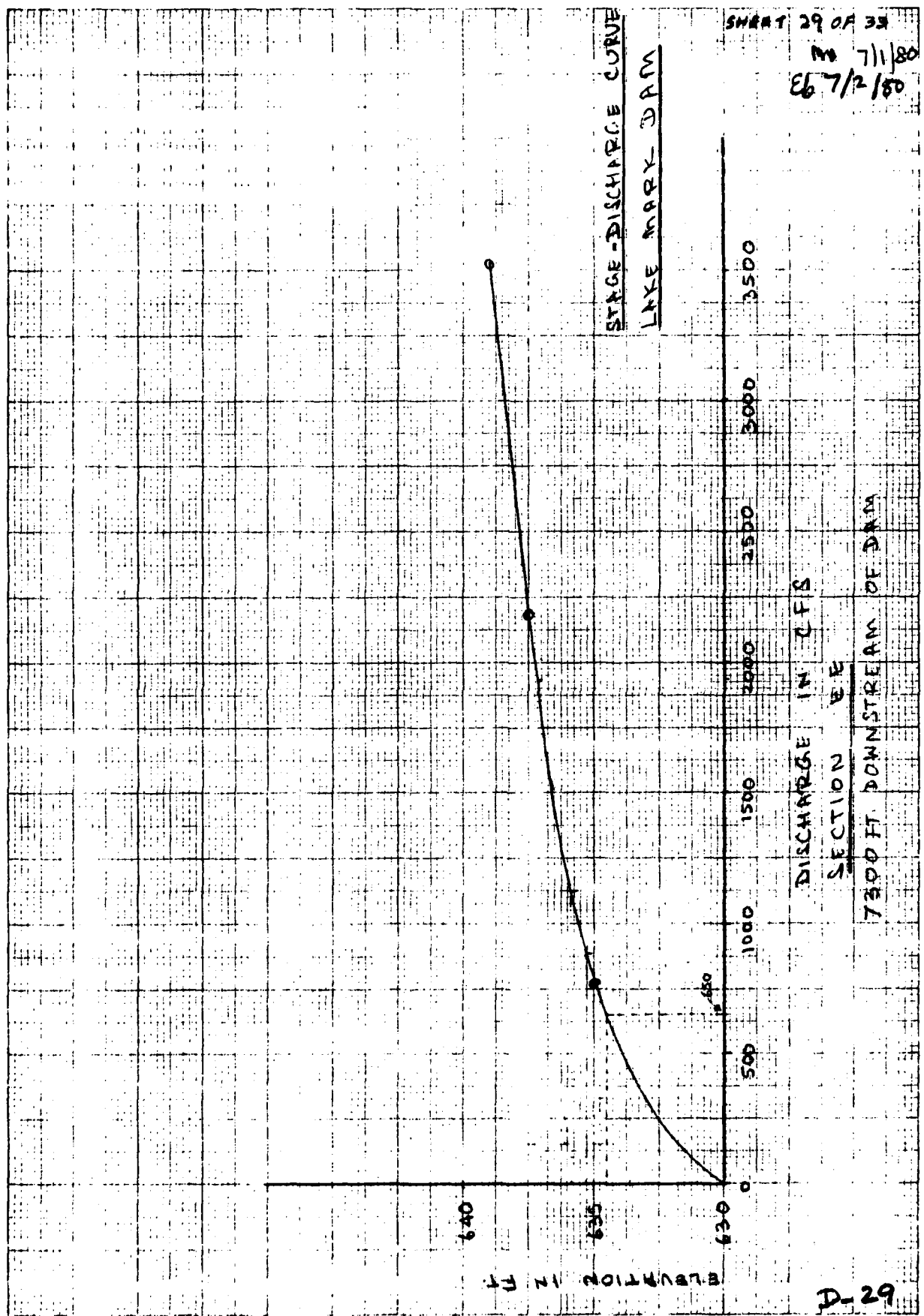


SECTION E-E
7300' D.S. OF DAM
1900' D.S. OF D-D

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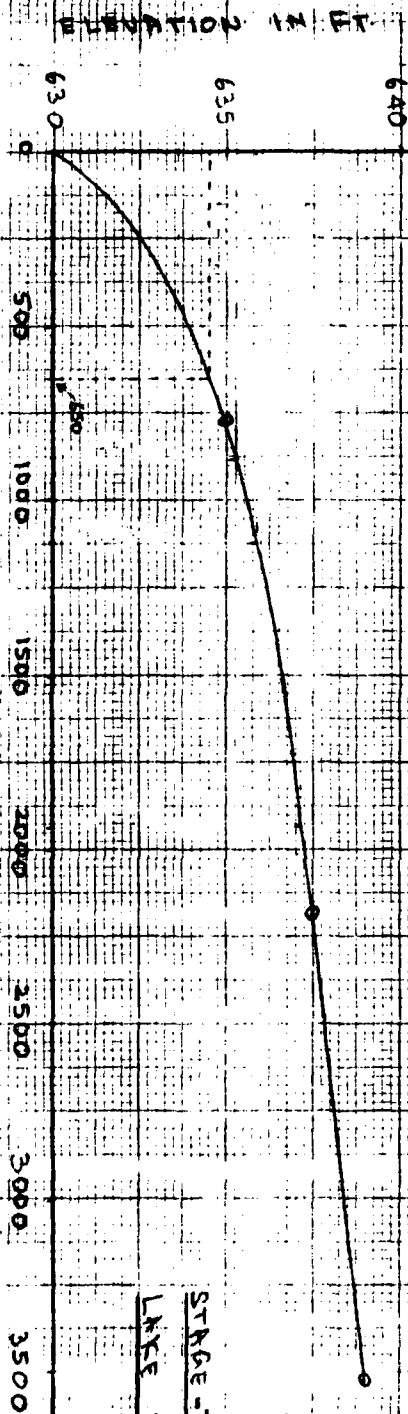
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STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE
 LAKE MARK DAM



DISCHARGE IN CFS
 SECTION B-E
 7500 FT DOWNSTREAM OF DAM

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STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE
LAKE MEAD DAM

DISCHARGE IN CFS

SECTION 4 E

1300 FT DOWNSTREAM OF DAM

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PROJECT NO. 80-10-12

SHEET 30 OF 33

NEW ENGLAND DIVISION

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LAKE MARK DAM

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DATE 7/2/80

A STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE IS PLOTTED
FOR $Q_{P1} = 1700$ CFS, THIS CURVE GIVES EL. 636.9
AND FOR EL. 636.9, THE STAGE-AREA CURVE GIVES AN
AREA, 220 SQ. FT.

$$V_1 = \frac{1700 \times 220}{43,560} = 9.6 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$\text{TRIAL } Q_{P2} = Q_{P1} \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{5}\right)$$

$$= 1700 \left(1 - \frac{9.6}{17.3}\right) = 750 \text{ CFS}$$

FOR THIS Q_{P2} , THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES
EL. 634.9 AND STAGE-AREA CURVE GIVES
 $\approx 110 \text{ SQ. FT.}$

$$\therefore V_2 = \frac{1700 \times 110}{43,560} = 4.8 \text{ AC.FT.}$$

$$\text{RECOMPUTING } Q_{P2} = 1700 \left(1 - \frac{9.6 + 4.8}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{17.3}\right) \approx 1000 \text{ CFS}$$

AND THE STAGE-DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES EL. 635.6

$$\therefore \text{FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION EE} = \text{EL. 635.6} - \text{EL. 630} = 5.6 \text{ FT}$$

AREA OF CROSS SECTION AT EE FOR EL. 635.6 = 142 SQ. FT.

$$\therefore \text{VELOCITY} = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{1000}{142} = 7 \text{ FPS}$$

S REMAINING $17.3 - 7.2 \approx 10 \text{ AC.FT.}$

WHICH IS $\frac{6}{10}$ OF THE INITIAL FLOOD VOLUME

PROJECT NON FEDERAL DAM INSPECTION PROJECT NO. 80-10-12 SHEET 31 OF 33
NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY MA DATE 11/80
LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY EB DATE 7/2/82

FAILURE HAZARD POTENTIAL
SUMMARY OF BREACH ANALYSIS RESULTS

| LOCATION | DISTANCE-FT | Q CFS | FLOOD STAGE | FLOOD DEPTH FT | VEL. FPS | FLOOD VOLUME REMAINING AC. FT. |
|----------|-------------|--------|-------------|-------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| DAM | 0 | 18,200 | 748.7 | 9.7 | — | 183 |
| B.B | 920 | 13,000 | 737.7 | 9.9 | 5.9 | 131 |
| A' A' | 1920 | 7,650 | 733.9 | 8.2 | 3.8 | 77 |
| AA | 2800 | 4,850 | 728.5 | 8.5 | 4.0 | 49 |
| CC | 4100 | 2,850 | 718.1 | 8.1 | 4.8 | 29 |
| DD | 5400 | 1,700 | 696.3 | 6.3 | 5.2 | 17 |
| EE | 7300 | 1,000 | 635.6 | 5.6 | 7 | 10 |

WITHOUT FURTHER FLOOD ROUTING, THE FOLLOWING
 ANALYSIS IS PRESENTED:

THE SUMMARY TABLE SHOWS THAT THE FLOOD VOLUME
 OF 183 AC. FT. AT DAM BREACH REDUCES TO 10 AC. FT.
 7300' DOWNSTREAM. A STREAM LENGTH OF 4300[±] FT. IS
 AVAILABLE UPTO ROUTE 190 TO ATTENUATE THE REMAINING
 FLOOD VOLUME OF 10 AC. FT. AN EXAMINATION OF THE
 USGS MAP INDICATES THAT MOST OF THE REMAINING
 STREAM CHANNEL IS NARROW AND STEEP. HOWEVER,
 ASSUMING AN AVERAGE STREAM CROSS-SECTION
 OF 142 SQ. FT. (AS AT SECTION EE) FOR
 THE ENTIRE 4300 FT, THE FLOOD STORAGE
 VOLUME OF 10 AC. FT. AT SECTION EE CAN
 BE EXPECTED TO BE ATTENUATED IN THE
 CHANNEL PRIOR TO REACHING ROUTE 190.

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HOWEVER, THE SUMMARY TABLE INDICATES THE DEPTH OF FLOOD TO BE 5.6' HAVING A HIGH VELOCITY OF 7 FPS AT SECTION EE. ASSUMING AVERAGE CONDITIONS. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THE DEPTH OF FLOOD WATER PRIOR TO REACHING ROUTE 190 CULVERT TO BE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF $4.5 \pm$ FT, HAVING A VELOCITY OF $7 \pm$ FPS FOR AN ESTIMATED PEAK FLOW OF $650 \pm$ CFS. FROM THE USGS MAP THE CHANNEL BED ELEVATION IS $522 \pm$ AND THEREFORE THE FLOOD STAGE IS EXPECTED TO BE $526.5 \pm$. SIMILARLY, FOR A PRE FAILURE FLOW OF 440 CFS, THE FLOOD STAGE IS EXPECTED TO BE $525.5 \pm$. FROM FIELD OBSERVATION, TWO BUILDINGS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE BROOK NORTH OF ROUTE 190 HAVE THEIR FIRST FLOOR ELEVATIONS $3.8 \pm$ FT ABOVE THE CHANNEL BED. THUS, THESE BUILDINGS, ONE OF WHICH IS A HOUSE, ARE EXPECTED TO BE FLOODED BY $0.7 \pm$ FT. OF WATER DUE TO DAM BREACH. ADDITIONALLY, ROUTE 190 WHICH IS OBSERVED TO CARRY SUBSTANTIAL TRAFFIC COULD BE IMPACTED.

FURTHER, IT SHOULD BE POINTED OUT THAT A SMALL STONE DAM ($5 \pm$ FT. HIGH) LOCATED $500 \pm$ FT. ABOVE ROUTE 190 COULD BE BREACHED AND THE FLOODING SITUATION DESCRIBED ABOVE COULD BE FURTHER AGGRAVATED BY THIS DAM.

ADDITIONALLY, AT LEAST ONE BUILDING CONTAINING BUSINESSES SOUTH OF ROUTE 190 CAN REASONABLY BE EXPECTED TO HAVE FLOOD HAZARD (SECONDARY IMPACT)

ALSO, THE 3 FOOT CONCRETE CULVERT ON DIAMOND LEDGE ROAD 1000 FT. DOWNSTREAM OF THE DAM COULD WASHOUT SINCE THE FLOOD DEPTH IS ESTIMATED TO BE MORE THAN 5 FT. WITH HIGH VELOCITY.

THUS IT CAN BE SEEN FROM THE ABOVE DISCUSSION, THAT A HAZARD POTENTIAL OF SIGNIFICANT MAGNITUDE IS CONSIDERED LIKELY.

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LAKE MARK DAM CHECKED BY EB DATE 7/3/80

SUMMARY- HYDRAULIC/HYDROLOGIC COMPUTATIONS

TEST FLOOD PEAK INFLOW $\frac{1}{2}$ PMF 840 CFS

PERFORMANCE AT PEAK FLOOD CONDITIONS:

PEAK INFLOW 840 CFS

PEAK OUTFLOW 545 CFS

SPILLWAY CAPACITY TO TOP OF DAM (EL.761) 440 CFS

SPILLWAY CAPACITY TO TOP OF DAM % OF PEAK OUTFLOW 81%

SPILLWAY CAPACITY TO TEST FLOOD ELVN.(EL.761.15) 460 CFS

SPILLWAY CAPACITY TO TEST FLOOD ELVN.%OF PEAK OUTFLOW 84%

TEST FLOOD-DAM OVERTOPPED:

MAXIMUM POOL ELEVATION 761.2±

MAXIMUM SURCHARGE HEIGHT ABOVE SPILLWAY CREST 6.2±FT

NON-OVERFLOW SECTION OF THE DAM OVERTOPPED BY 0.2±FT

DOWNSTREAM FAILURE CONDITIONS:

TOTAL PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW 18,200 CFS

HEIGHT AT TIME OF FAILURE 9.7 FT

CONDITIONS AT INITIAL IMPACT AREA:(CHANNEL BED EL.522±)

ESTIMATED STAGE BEFORE FAILURE WITH 440 CFS EL.525.5±

ESTIMATED STAGE AFTER FAILURE WITH 650±CFS EL.526.5±

ESTIMATED RAISE IN STAGE AFTER FAILURE ΔY_1 1±

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MAXIMUM PROBABLE FLOOD INFLOWS
NED RESERVOIRS

| <u>Project</u> | <u>Q</u> (cfs) | <u>D.A.</u> (sq. mi.) | <u>MPF</u> cfs/sq. mi. |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Hall Meadow Brook | 26,600 | 17.2 | 1,546 |
| 2. East Branch | 15,500 | 9.25 | 1,675 |
| 3. Thomaston | 158,000 | 97.2 | 1,625 |
| 4. Northfield Brook | 9,000 | 5.7 | 1,580 |
| 5. Black Rock | 35,000 | 20.4 | 1,715 |
| 6. Hancock Brook | 20,700 | 12.0 | 1,725 |
| 7. Hop Brook | 26,400 | 16.4 | 1,610 |
| 8. Tully | 47,000 | 50.0 | 940 |
| 9. Barre Falls | 61,000 | 55.0 | 1,109 |
| 10. Conant Brook | 11,900 | 7.8 | 1,525 |
| 11. Knightville | 160,000 | 162.0 | 987 |
| 12. Littleville | 98,000 | 52.3 | 1,870 |
| 13. Colebrook River | 165,000 | 118.0 | 1,400 |
| 14. Mad River | 30,000 | 18.2 | 1,650 |
| 15. Sucker Brook | 6,500 | 3.43 | 1,895 |
| 16. Union Village | 110,000 | 126.0 | 873 |
| 17. North Hartland | 199,000 | 220.0 | 904 |
| 18. North Springfield | 157,000 | 158.0 | 994 |
| 19. Ball Mountain | 190,000 | 172.0 | 1,105 |
| 20. Townshend | 228,000 | 106.0(278 total) | 820 |
| 21. Surry Mountain | 63,000 | 100.0 | 630 |
| 22. Otter Brook | 45,000 | 47.0 | 957 |
| 23. Birch Hill | 88,500 | 175.0 | 505 |
| 24. East Brimfield | 73,900 | 67.5 | 1,095 |
| 25. Westville | 38,400 | 99.5(32 net) | 1,200 |
| 26. West Thompson | 85,000 | 173.5(74 net) | 1,150 |
| 27. Hodges Village | 35,600 | 31.1 | 1,145 |
| 28. Buffumville | 36,500 | 26.5 | 1,377 |
| 29. Mansfield Hollow | 125,000 | 159.0 | 786 |
| 30. West Hill | 26,000 | 28.0 | 928 |
| 31. Franklin Falls | 210,000 | 1000.0 | 210 |
| 32. Blackwater | 66,500 | 128.0 | 520 |
| 33. Hopkinton | 135,000 | 426.0 | 316 |
| 34. Everett | 68,000 | 64.0 | 1,062 |
| 35. MacDowell | 36,300 | 44.0 | 825 |

MAXIMUM PROBABLE FLOWS
BASED ON TWICE THE
STANDARD PROJECT FLOOD
(Flat and Coastal Areas)

| <u>River</u> | <u>SPF</u> (cfs) | <u>D.A.</u> (sq. mi.) | <u>MPF</u> (cfs/sq. mi.) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Pawtuxet River | 19,000 | 200 | 190 |
| 2. Mill River (R.I.) | 8,500 | 34 | 500 |
| 3. Peters River (R.I.) | 3,200 | 13 | 490 |
| 4. Kettle Brook | 8,000 | 30 | 530 |
| 5. Sudbury River. | 11,700 | 86 | 270 |
| 6. Indian Brook (Hopk.) | 1,000 | 5.9 | 340 |
| 7. Charles River. | 6,000 | 184 | 65 |
| 8. Blackstone River. | 43,000 | 416 | 200 |
| 9. Quinebaug River | 55,000 | 331 | 330 |

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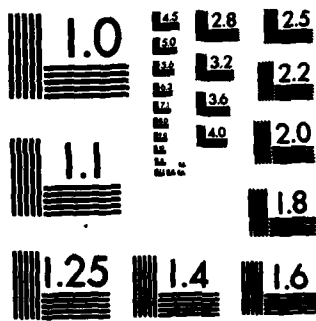
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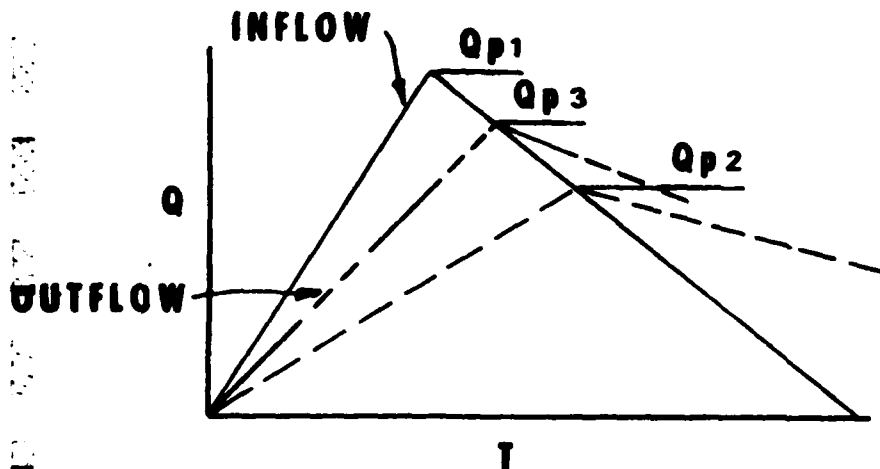
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ESTIMATING EFFECT OF SURCHARGE STORAGE ON MAXIMUM PROBABLE DISCHARGES



STEP 1: Determine Peak Inflow (Q_{p1}) from Guide Curves.

STEP 2: a. Determine Surcharge Height To Pass " Q_{p1} ".

b. Determine Volume of Surcharge ($STOR_1$) In Inches of Runoff.

c. Maximum Probable Flood Runoff In New England equals Approx. 19", Therefore:

$$Q_{p2} = Q_{p1} \times \left(1 - \frac{STOR_1}{19}\right)$$

STEP 3: a. Determine Surcharge Height and " $STOR_2$ " To Pass " Q_{p2} ".

b. Average " $STOR_1$ " and " $STOR_2$ " and Determine Average Surcharge and Resulting Peak Outflow " Q_{p3} ".

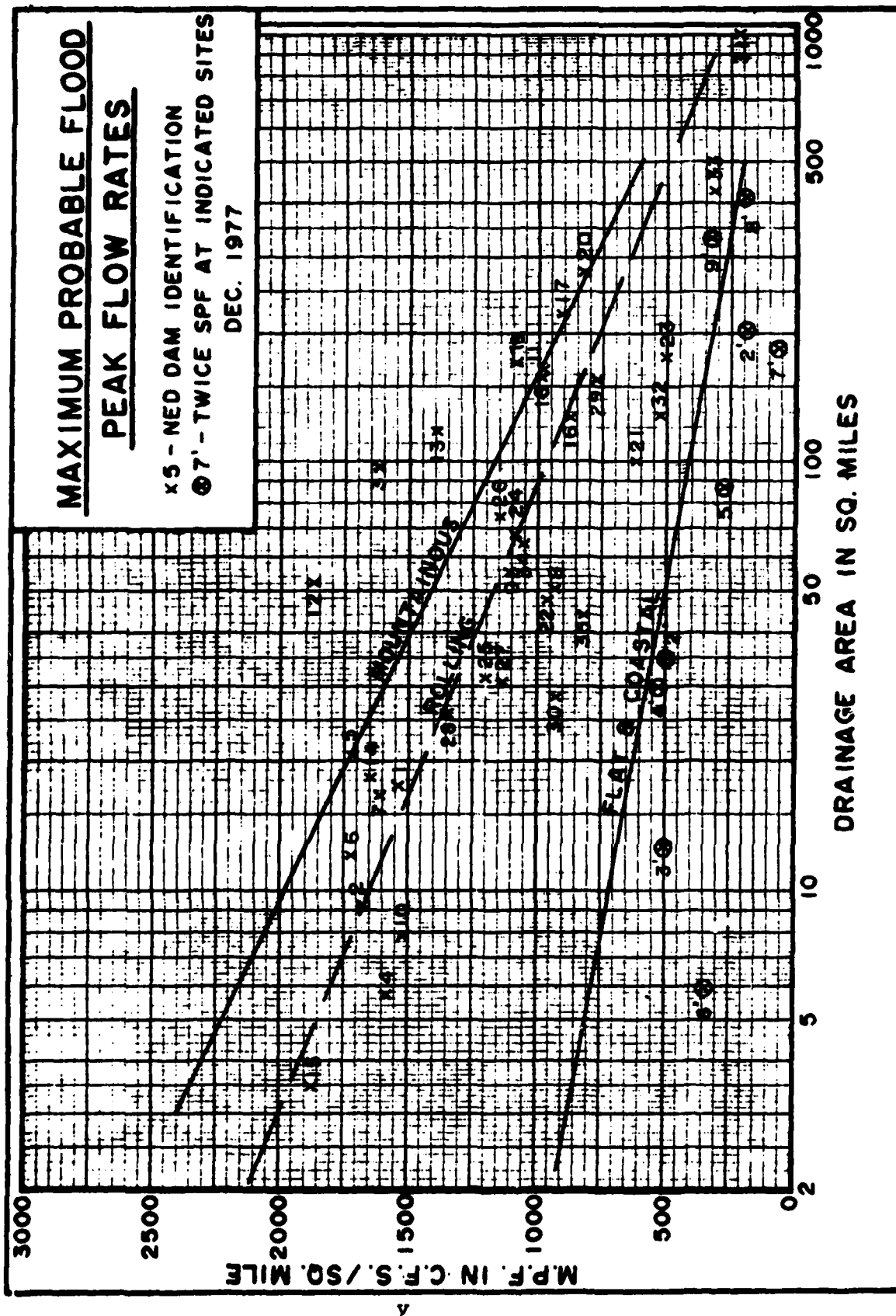
MAXIMUM PROBABLE FLOOD

PEAK FLOW RATES

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⊙ 7' - TWICE SPF AT INDICATED SITES

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SURCHARGE STORAGE ROUTING SUPPLEMENT

**STEP 3: a. Determine Surcharge Height and
"STOR₂" To Pass "Q_{p2}"**

**b. Avg "STOR₁" and "STOR₂" and
Compute "Q_{p3}".**

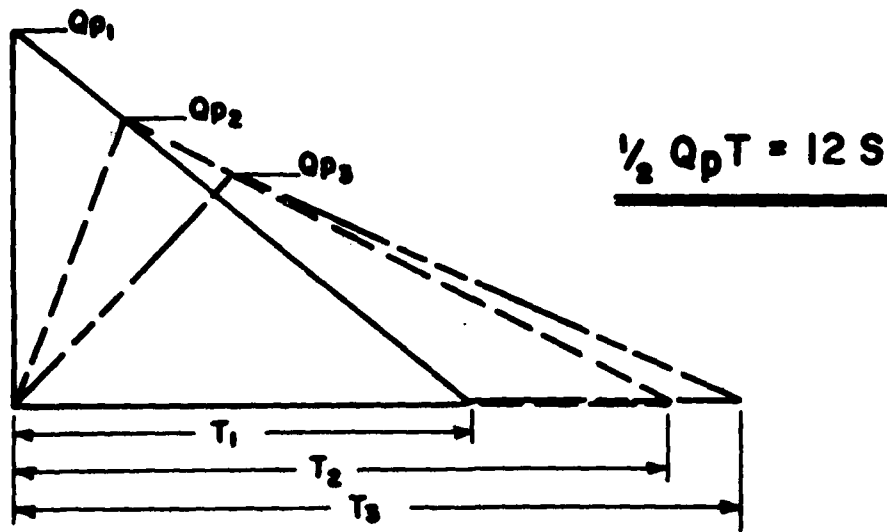
**c. If Surcharge Height for Q_{p3} and
"STOR_{avg}" agree O.K. If Not:**

**STEP 4: a. Determine Surcharge Height and
"STOR₃" To Pass "Q_{p3}"**

**b. Avg. "Old STOR_{avg}" and "STOR₃"
and Compute "Q_{p4}"**

**c. Surcharge Height for Q_{p4} and
"New STOR_{avg}" should Agree
closely**

"RULE OF THUMB" GUIDANCE FOR ESTIMATING DOWNSTREAM DAM FAILURE HYDROGRAPHS



STEP 1: DETERMINE OR ESTIMATE RESERVOIR STORAGE (S) IN AC-FT AT TIME OF FAILURE.

STEP 2: DETERMINE PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW (Q_{p1}).

$$Q_{p1} = \frac{8}{27} W_b \sqrt{g} Y_0^{3/2}$$

W_b = BREACH WIDTH - SUGGEST VALUE NOT GREATER THAN 40% OF DAM LENGTH ACROSS RIVER AT MID HEIGHT.

Y_0 = TOTAL HEIGHT FROM RIVER BED TO POOL LEVEL AT FAILURE.

STEP 3: USING USGS TOPO OR OTHER DATA, DEVELOP REPRESENTATIVE STAGE-DISCHARGE RATING FOR SELECTED DOWNSTREAM RIVER REACH.

STEP 4: ESTIMATE REACH OUTFLOW (Q_{p2}) USING FOLLOWING ITERATION.

A. APPLY Q_{p1} TO STAGE RATING, DETERMINE STAGE AND ACCOMPANYING VOLUME (V_1) IN REACH IN AC-FT. (NOTE: IF V_1 EXCEEDS 1/2 OF S, SELECT SHORTER REACH.)

B. DETERMINE TRIAL Q_{p2} .

$$Q_{p2}(\text{TRIAL}) = Q_{p1} (1 - \frac{V_1}{S})$$

C. COMPUTE V_2 USING $Q_{p2}(\text{TRIAL})$.

D. AVERAGE V_1 AND V_2 AND COMPUTE Q_{p2} .

$$Q_{p2} = Q_{p1} (1 - \frac{V_1 + V_2}{2S})$$

STEP 5: FOR SUCCEEDING REACHES REPEAT STEPS 3 AND 4.

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SURCHARGE STORAGE ROUTING ALTERNATE

$$Q_{p2} = Q_{p1} \times \left(1 - \frac{\text{STOR}}{19} \right)$$

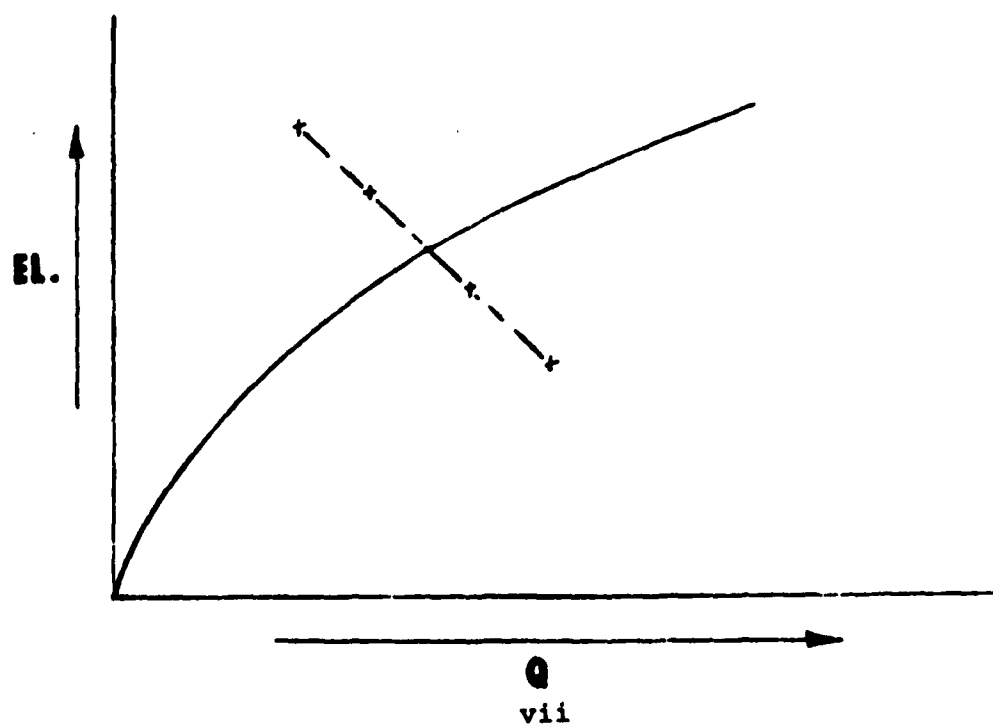
$$Q_{p2} = Q_{p1} - Q_{p1} \left(\frac{\text{STOR}}{19} \right)$$

FOR KNOWN Q_{p1} AND 19" R.O.

Q_{p2}
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STOR
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APPENDIX E
INFORMATION AS CONTAINED IN
THE NATIONAL INVENTORY OF DAMS

INVENTORY OF DAMS IN THE UNITED STATES

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|-------|----------|--------|-----------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------------|
| STATE | DISTRICT | COUNTY | COUNTY | NAME | LATITUDE (NORTH) | LONGITUDE (WEST) | REPORT DATE |
| CT | 337 | REC | CT 013 02 | LAKE MARK DAM | 4200.1 | 7221.0 | 01SEP60 |

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|--------------|---------------------|
| POPULAR NAME | NAME OF IMPROVEMENT |
| | LAKE MARK |

| | | | | |
|------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| RECORD NO. | RIVER OR STREAM | NEAREST DOWNSTREAM CITY-TOWN-VILLAGE | DIST FROM DAM (MI.) | POPULATION |
| 0110 | DIAMOND LEDGE BROOK | WEST STAFFORD | 2 | 1000 |

| | | | | |
|-------------|----------------|----------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| TYPE OF DAM | YEAR COMPLETED | PURPOSES | HYDRO-ELECTRIC | IMPOUNDING CAPACITIES (ACR.-FT.) |
| WPC | 1957 | R | 23 | 22 165 75 |

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| DESIGN | CONSTRUCTION | OPERATION | MAINTENANCE |
| CT ENVIRON PROTECT | CT ENVIRON PROTECT | CT ENVIRON PROTECT | CT ENVIRON PROTECT |

| | | |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| OWNER | ENGINEERING BY | CONSTRUCTION BY |
| MICHAEL MOLITORIS | RUCK AND RUCK | OWNER |

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|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| DESIGN | CONSTRUCTION | OPERATION | MAINTENANCE |
| CT ENVIRON PROTECT | CT ENVIRON PROTECT | CT ENVIRON PROTECT | CT ENVIRON PROTECT |

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| INSPECTION BY | INSPECTION DATE | AUTHORITY FOR INSPECTION |
| CANN ENGINEERS INC | 31MAR60 | PL93-367 |

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